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BIG SANDY NEWS.

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THRILLING FACTS ON THE BATTLE FRONTS.

BRITISH AIRMEN DO REMARKABLE STUNTS IN THE FIGHTING IN EUROPE.

The great victory won by the British over a front of 32 miles, mentioned in the NEWS last week has been extended somewhat since that, by very bitter and bloody fighting. The Germans rushed troops from other places to this front and resisted stubbornly, but have not yet entirely stopped the British. It is said to be the greatest victory yet achieved for the allies.

The tanks the cavalry and the infantry played strong parts. The work of British airplanes during the present offensive forms a graphic chapter in itself. Despite the vile weather, which compelled them to operate within a few feet of the ground they kept steadily at their task and rendered invaluable assistance both in reconnaissance and offensive operations.

There have been almost continual battles between German infantry and British airmen, flying as low as 30 feet above the ground. Never before has this kind of warfare been carried out on such a large scale. Pilots have attacked infantry and gun crews indiscriminately wherever they encountered them and have inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy with bombs and machine guns.

The nature of the fighting can be seen from the experience of a British pilot whose machine was literally shot to pieces by rifle and machine-gun fire and who finally crashed down behind his own lines, with 10 bullet holes through his clothing, although he himself was unhurt.

Another young airman (Saturday) presented himself at headquarters after having been shot down for the third time within two days. He was delighted over his experience and immediately applied for another machine so that he might go out again.

One aviator attacked a column of German infantry marching in close formation and hurled two high-power bombs, directly among them. The troops scattered and as the aviator whirled away he saw two heaps of dead about huge craters which the bombs had torn in the road. There were innumerable cases of aviators bombing aerodromes, troop transports and gun crews. A large number of artillery crews have been obliterated either by machine-gun fire at close range or by bombs.

Naturally many of the airmen had narrow escape from death and wounds of course paid the full price and have gone to swell the toll of brave men who have given their lives for their King and country.

Among the halfbreath escapes reported is that of an aviator whose machine was torn to pieces while he was fighting German infantry with his machine-gun. He was caught in the shell fire and all the wings of his machine were shot away.

Fortunately he was flying only 20 or 30 feet above the ground and close to his own lines. He crashed in No Man's Land and found himself unhurt. He immediately came under rifle and machine-gun fire, but he found a German rifle with some ammunition and engaged the enemy single-handed. As he fired he worked his way back until he reached one of his own patrols.

There is not much humor in fighting of this nature, but one incident occurred which is making the whole British air service laugh to-day.

One of the youngest British airmen was flying at a low altitude, when four enemy machine-guns opened on him. He swooped down and shot three of his opponents as he swept by. The fourth machine gun kept firing and he leaned over the side of his car and wriggled his fingers in jocular derision at the Germans. Just as he was in the midst of this interesting performance his opponent put a bullet squarely through the palm of the aviator's right hand.

The aviator presented himself at a dressing station and when queried admitted the truth with crestfallen face. His consolation for his wound was a round of laughter and advice to be more judicious to a Boche in the future.

SIX QUESTIONS.

The Dixie Highway.

Are the roads in your county a credit to you or are you ashamed of them?

Are the roads in your county wide enough for the convenient passage of cars?

Are the roads in your county marked so that the tourists from distant states have no difficulty keeping to the right road?

Are the roads in your county all-year-round roads, or only good weather roads?

Are the roads in your county good enough for the transportation of military troops, with the accompanying supply, munition and engineer trains? You can never tell when your roads will be needed for this very service. Military trucks are away.

M. E. CHURCH BAZAAR.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church will hold their Christmas bazaar December 14 and 15.

J. W. Bentley of Yatesville, Malcolm Starberry of R. 2, Louisa Wm. Clarke Louisa and G. W. Owens of R. 2 Louisa and J. H. McClure of Gallipoli had business in the NEWS office this week.

KNOTT COUNTY LAND ESCHATED TO STATE

27,000 acres of land in Knott-co. had been eschated to the State through a decision by Judge A. T. Patrick, of Knott-co. in the case of the Danbury National Bank, City National Bank Savings Bank of Danbury and Thomas C. Millard, all of Danbury, Conn. The lands were eschated to the State under the law that no corporation can hold or own real estate in the State unless necessary to the conduct of its business longer than five years under penalty of escheat.

Millard bought the lands in 1932 under his own name, but the court decided that he was holding them as trustee of the banks. A similar suit decided in August by Judge John C. Everdale of Perry-co. eschated 25,100 acres in Perry-co. The lands are valued at over \$1,000,000.

LAWRENCE COUNTY RED CROSS.

We are growing. We have 275 members. Three auxiliaries are organized. Walbridge, Green Valley and Gallipoli. Much knitting is being done and work has begun on hospital garments. With a good supply of material on hand, 24 pounds more yarn will be on hand soon. The auxiliaries will want a large part of this yarn.

Out of town people are cordially invited to call at the Red Cross room. Members of auxiliaries can get instructions regarding the work to be done.

Green Valley has the honor of starting the first School Auxiliary in the county, as a result of the hearty interest taken by the teacher Isaac Cunningham, and Miss Marie Roberts, secretary of the auxiliary.

The Lake Division News, for members of the Executive Committee can be had each week at the Louisa headquarters. The secretary is arranging files for material belonging to each officer and committee chairman. Rev. W. A. Gough, the Campaign Manager for the Christmas Membership Drive, is making his plans. Bro. Gough will get you if you don't join soon.

V. B. SHORTRIDGE THANKS HIS FRIENDS AND SUPPORTERS

To the voters of the 32nd Senatorial district, composed of the counties of Boyd, Elliott, Lawrence and Greenup. I take this method of thanking the people for the kind treatment I received while traveling over the district. I made many acquaintances and found lots of friends of whom I feel proud. I still say that I stand for the best interests of the county. I know I made a clean fight, and while I am defeated I am not discouraged. When I think of the class of men who stood by me on account of the principles I advocated regardless of politics, I am prompted to say, "Men and brethren, let us stand together." If there ever was a time when the people were called on to be right it is now.

It will require our united efforts to remove from our country that awful curse known as intoxicating drinks. There is no question in my mind that liquor is the greatest curse the human family has to deal with. I am still in favor of the people getting a vote on liquor in 1918 in the form of a bone dry amendment to the constitution.

I still believe the State ought to furnish the school books for the State can publish the books much cheaper than they are being bought, by using money in the State prisons. Then put a library in every common school district in the State and make the district responsible for it. When a pupil leaves a grade the books must be turned in for use by others, and in turn get a supply for the other grade. There are many children out of school because their parents are not able to get books.

Now come out boys and let's help make the nation dry, defend the right and fight the wrong. "Equal rights to all" will be our cry.

Very respectfully,
V. B. SHORTRIDGE.

CARPENTER FALLS TO DEATH.

Ashtand, Ky., Nov. 22.—Thomas Puller, a carpenter at Music, Carter-co., while shingling a roof, slipped and fell to the ground. He received injuries which caused his death a few hours later.

WEST VIRGINIA ITEMS OF NEWS.

Bert Lovins of Chittaroy, 35 years old, a coal miner, was found dead a few days ago on the N. & W. railroad near Thacker. He had been struck by a freight train.

Miss Louise Swartz, who was commercial teacher in the Ceredo-Kenova High School tendered her resignation to the Board of Education and the board accepted it. For some time it was said Miss Swartz had been showing the pupils literature that was pro-German and used from a socialist literature, as typewriter practice for her pupils. It was charged that she lost no opportunity to express her anti-American socialist views.

Miss Swartz has left her home in Toledo, Ohio, and Miss Elam of Iron-ton will take her place.

Complaints from parents were coming in in increasing numbers against the spreading of these ideas among their children.

K. L. West, W. Smith and Phil Smith, of Canada, Pike-co., enlisted in the regular army at Huntington Monday.

The contract has been let for the drilling of four wells in Greenup-co., near Tygals creek.

WELL MAY MAKE FIFTEEN BARRELS A DAY.

EXCELLENT BERE A OIL WELL DRILLED ON F. R. BUSSEY FARM.

A well estimated at four to five barrels a day, good for 10 to 15 after being shot has been completed on the lands of F. R. Bussey at Burkesville, six miles southwest of Louisa. It is one of the best in the field. Another well on the same farm will be started Monday.

The well on Laffo Hays' farm at Clark has been shot and promises a nice production.

The well at Ulysses on A. J. Austin's farm has been drilled into the Clinton sand, but at last reports without good results.

STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS.

W. T. Daugherty, Adams Express company route agent for the Ashland Cincinnati and Big Sandy divisions who was stricken with paralysis while in his office Friday, was reported as improving today. Both of Mr. Daugherty's sides are affected by the stroke as is also his tongue and throat. His condition is serious but it is believed that he will recover.—Independent.

KANSAS HIGHWAYS.

Good roads is a relative expression. There are men who think a jumper and a pair of overalls are good enough for their wedding day. It's not a real good road unless it will take you where you want to go at any time in the day or night, rain or shine, summer or winter.

If it pays you to use the binder instead of the cradle, it will pay you to be able to haul to market twice as much, twice as often as you have been able to in the past.

Keep the boy on the farm by making your roads so he can get to town in a short time. There are enough bumps in life without having them in the middle of the road.

Just as well be out of the world as at the end of an impassable road.

Always remember that you can't have anything worth while without taxes. Even your thoughts can not travel without taxing your brain.

You don't care to build roads for the tourist. Neither does your rich neighbor want to pay taxes to educate your children.

Bridging difficulties is one of the tasks of the road maker. A rocky road isn't hard to travel if the rocks have learned to know their place.

You talk about the value of your farm because it is near a good community center with schools and churches. But the value is off one-third if the weather and road conditions keep you away from them one-third of the time.

KILLED BY FALLING SLATE.

The death of Bert McClelland in an Iron-ton hospital reveals an unusually pathetic story of a fated family. The death of Bert McClelland is the fourth violent death to occur in the McClelland family lately, and the father of the four boys is himself in a critical condition in an Iron-ton hospital.

The family, whose place of residence was formerly in Lawrence-co., Ohio, for several years resided principally at Van Lear, in the East Kentucky coal fields. It was while at work in the mines there that Bert McClelland, who died yesterday morning had his head crushed by falling slate. Two years ago Will McClelland, an elder brother was killed in the mines at Van Lear, and still more recently Isaac McClelland, another brother, was killed in the same mines. Another brother, making the fourth was killed in an accident at Newcastle a few years ago.

A wife and six children survive.

TWIN BRANCH.

Smith Jobe, who has been sick for many days is slowly improving.

Mrs. J. H. Jobe is able to be out again.

Church at Lower Twins was largely attended Sunday.

Ira Adams has returned home.

Willie Hughes and Hattie Jobe were out riding Sunday.

Dennie Jobe and Janie Berry passed down Twin Branch Sunday.

Mrs. Jennie Carter of Irad was the pleasant guest of Mrs. Annie Jobe last week.

Cecil Adams Birdie Jobe and Gypsy Adams attended church at Lower Twins Sunday.

Elia and Ivory Jobe were out riding Sunday.

Lula Chaffin was shopping at C. Jobe's Monday.

Roy Hayes was on Trains Saturday.

Paul Burton has returned to his home from Pennsylvania where he has been employed for some time.

Eva Carter was the guest of Birdie Jobe last week.

Mrs. Genoa Hays spent one day last week with Annie Jobe.

Cecil Adams spent Sunday with Birdie Jobe.

Leo Diamond returned home recently.

Willie Kouns was at Smith Jobe's Monday.

Nelly Jobe was here Monday on business.

John Fuchus was a business caller at Louisa Monday.

Alma, Lizzie and Martha Kitchen were at Lower Twins Sunday.

Bessie Queen was here recently collecting taxes.

Four traders are all the go here. They pay high for fun and get lots of it.

Remember there will be church here the 4th Sunday in each month. Come and hear the sermons. BABY DOLL.

BEAUTIFUL WEDDING IN CATLETTSBURG

The M. E. Church South Catlettsburg, was the scene at eight o'clock Wednesday evening, November 21 of a brilliant affair when two charming daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Flannery were united in marriage to Mr. D. M. H. Werton of Catlettsburg, and Mr. Leslie Parker of Wyoming. The church decorations were of unusual beauty. Palms, amaranth and ferns were used the amaranth being gracefully draped over the white covering of the chancel rail. Tall wicker baskets of pink, chrysanthemums were at either end of the rail and cathedral candelabra holding burning tapers added solemnity to the scene.

Mrs. Joseph Spears sang, with Miss Annet Leedom, of Huntington, presiding at the pipe organ. "Eloved It Is Dawn" after which Mrs. Ernest Meek and Mrs. Spears rendered the bridal chorus from Leisler. First came the page, Masters, Elliott Flannery and James Burns, in white satin suits. They opened the gates of ribbon to let the bride party enter. First were Mr. Jno. L. Smith and Mr. Paul Enstham. Next came two of the pretty bridesmaids, Miss Elizabeth Eba of Ashland and Miss Vera Ross of Pontiac, Ill. Mr. Joseph M. Spears and Mrs. Jas. Deo followed and then the other two pretty bridesmaids, Miss Josephine Hinkley of Prestonburg, and Miss Maxine Yost of Catlettsburg entered. The maid of all were crowned in pink tulle over cloth silver and their flowers were cascades of pink chrysanthemums. Mrs. Jas. Deo in a lovely gown of pink satin with silver bodice, was maid of honor. Her bouquet was Killarney roses. The pretty maid of honor, Miss Dewey Flannery, youngest sister of the bride was attractive in a dainty gown of pink tulle over silver cloth and carried violets. She was followed by little Miss Helen Lee Brown in white tulle and lace with wings of pink scattering rose petals as she came down the aisle in front of the brides. They entered with their fathers, Mr. W. H. Flannery, and were joined at the altar by Mr. H. Werton and Mr. Parker with their best men, Mr. Floyd Lazwell of Owensboro and Mr. Marion Wheeler of Casper, Wyoming. The impressive double ring ceremony was read by Rev. A. P. Keyser pastor of the M. E. Church South, followed by prayer by Rev. C. A. Slaughter of Ashland.

The brides, Miss Meek, fair and lovely, and Miss Dawn, dark and stately were handsome models of satin and tulle embroidered with pearls, with veils of net held by orange blossoms. Each carried a shower bouquet of orchids and valley lilies. Following the wedding a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Flannery, which several hundred friends attended. The home was artistically arranged and decorated for the important occasion.

Mr. H. Werton is one of eastern Kentucky's best known young men being prominent in political matters and prosecuting attorney of Boyd county. Mr. Parker is a prominent mining engineer from Canada, but has spent a number of years in Colorado and Wyoming, where he has extensive interests. After a wedding journey to points in the east and south, Mr. and Mrs. Parker will be at home in Denver, Col. and Casper, Wyoming while Mr. and Mrs. H. Werton will reside in Frankfort, Mr. H. Werton being assistant attorney general of Kentucky.

WRITES FROM CAMP LEE.

Battery E, 315 Regt. F. A., Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., November 22, 1917.

This reservation is the largest and biggest camp in the United States. We have about fifty thousand soldiers here, all branches of service. The post is built in a horse shoe shape, six miles in length, twelve around. Sets from the Depot Power plants four miles some distance from Petersburg, Va. We are waiting for the call to go over to France just any minute.

I served six years in the regular army and also qualified as an expert rifleman in the branch of Infantry, and second class gunner in the Coast Artillery, 1905, at San Francisco, California.

This is to all of my friends at Louisa. Now is the time to save our flag and our country. I am going to France, not to see the country but to fight for my country—Sweet land of Liberty. God be with us and Old Glory shall wave forever.

Best regards to all.

EUGENE ROSS.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Con Ferguson 22 of Flat Gap to Ruth Childers 19 of Trisco.

Leslie H. Pack 21 to Dolly Bocoak 18, both of Catlettsburg.

Louise Parker 23 to Temple E. Barker 18 of Martha.

Mrs. J. M. Turner and children visited relatives in Ashland this week.

Orion Prince of Columbus, O., was in Louisa last week buying turkeys.

The Louisa public schools are having a vacation from Wednesday to Monday.

Mrs. Kate Shannon and family will move to the residence vacated by R. A. Stone and family who have moved to the Fulkerson property below town.

We are indebted to Mr. Isaac Potter, of Catlapa, for a basket of the finest apples we have had. They grew on his fine farm.

Mrs. Lee M. Henry had as her guests last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hays and two sons of Waldridge. Mrs. Allison is a sister of Mrs. Henry. She and her boys remained over Sunday.

BIG FIRE RAGING IN SLACK COAL.

WEEKSBURY, FLOYD COUNTY, THE SCENE OF THE CONFLAGRATION.

Eight thousand tons of slack coal belonging to the Elkhorn Coal company at Weeksbury, Floyd-co., are on fire according to word received here. Spontaneous combustion is given as the cause of the fire. The financial loss now is \$20,000. Ninety thousand tons of coal are in danger of being consumed by the flames.

The company has been mining and storing a large amount of coal ready for shipment when the new B. & O. railroad line is completed to Weeksbury which will be about February 1.

M. E. CHURCH.

The men of the Methodist Episcopal church have raised a cash subscription of \$1900 for repair of the church building in the way of a new roof and remodeled belfry, new floor, new seats paper for the walls and other improvements. Work on the building will start within a week. The plans are such that the improvements can be extended later. The plans will be stated in detail next Sunday morning.

There will be no preaching in this church next Sunday evening as the pastor will be out of town. The congregation is requested to attend the meeting at the Baptist church. This Sunday morning subject will be: "Prayer as Dominant Desire."

BOY SHOT IN HEAD DIES ON WAY TO HOSPITAL.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 22.—Thomas Henaker, 8 years old, died on a Chesapeake & Ohio train while being brought to a hospital in this city from his home at Morehead, where he was accidentally shot through the brain. The boy was standing near some men who were killing hogs when in emptying a rifle, a cartridge exploded. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Henaker, formerly of Bath-co.

COL. W. O. JOHNSON

While in Atlanta visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Adams spent some time with Col. W. O. Johnson, whose name our readers will readily recognize as that of the oldest son of Mrs. Zann Johnson of Louisa. He was recently promoted from Major to Lieutenant Colonel. He has a chance of a fight at Fort Oglethorpe near Atlanta.

SALE OF HIS BEAR.

John Travis of Fort Gay, sold his pet bear a few days ago to a butcher at Catlettsburg, for \$150. A friend sent him the bear from Minnesota nearly two years ago and it had grown into a large sized black bear.

COMMISSION TO KENTUCKIANS.

Frank M. Crum of Inez, was awarded a commission as Second Lieutenant Field Artillery, Officers Reserve Corps, Kit C. Elwell of Etowah also received a commission as Second Lieutenant.

John F. Hager, of Ashland received commission as Second Lieutenant, Infantry, O. R. C.

PREACHING AT FALLSBURG.

On this coming Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night, Rev. L. M. Copley will preach in Fallsburg. All are cordially invited to attend.

Catlettsburg Items

Celebrated Wedding Anniversary in Unusual Manner.

Hon. Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hager among Ashland's best loved citizens, celebrated their fifty-seventh wedding anniversary on Wednesday evening. Their manner of celebrating this event was unusual and perhaps it will be many years before such a celebration will take place. It was on this evening they attended the wedding of the Misses Flannery at Catlettsburg, and later the reception at "Elliot Hall."

Will Take Post Graduate Course.

Dr. O. K. Bond and family will spend the winter in Cincinnati or Chicago where he will take special work after which he will locate in the South in all probability. His brother, Dr. A. C. Bond of Ashland will also specialize, the two going together.

Ren Nail Into Foot.

Mrs. Sarah Chinn had the misfortune to run a nail into her foot and suffered very much for a time, but is now resting easily.

NOTICE—BRIDGE LETTING.

The County Judge of Lawrence-co., Kentucky, will receive sealed bids up to 10 a. m. on December 10, 1917 for the erection of a steel bridge across the Shannon Branch on the Levisa Fork of Big Sandy river. Said span is 90 ft. long and 16 ft. roadway, pin connected high truss, 910 cu. yds second class masonry, 20 cu. yds concrete, approximately. Plans on file at the office of County Judge. Also, plans and specifications on file in the office of the Commission of Public Roads at Frankfort, Ky. The County Judge reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. B. CLAYTON, Judge.

THANKSGIVING SERVICES.

Union Thanksgiving services for Louisa were held in the M. E. Church South, Rav. Bostwick of the M. E. Church preaching. The other pastors took part in the services.

MISS FRANCES SAVAGE IS CRITICALLY ILL.

Mrs. S. S. Savage, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Ashland and Catlettsburg left Monday afternoon for Colorado being called back home by a telegram stating that her daughter, Mrs. Frances Savage is critically ill with pneumonia.

MAKING GOOD.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 12, 1917. I wish to tell my Kentucky friends we are liking army life and are making good as soldiers. There is one young man who hails from Hueysville, Floyd-co., Ky., who has made good as a soldier and his progress was very rapid. He enlisted the first of August and in less than a month he was made Sergeant First Class in the Quarter Master Corps. It is predicted by all his friends that he will go higher in a short time. He is a very energetic young man and succeeds at everything he undertakes, and this young man is Sergeant Vails J. Gearhart.

Ey a Kentuckian.
ROSCOE Mc MILLIN.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

Divine Worship 10:30 a. m., 6:30 p. m.

Morning subject: "Censar and God." Evening subject: "The Reward of Failure."

Sunday school 9 a. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday 6:30 p. m. HERBERT O. CHAMBERS, Pastor

M. E. C. S. BAZAAR.

The ladies of the M. E. Church South announce their Christmas sale of useful and funny articles for Friday and Saturday, December 7 and 8. Every lady in the church is expected to contribute an article for the sale.

On both days oysters will be served, any style desired, also ice cream, cake and coffee. Choice homemade candy will be sold.

The bazaar will be held in the basement of the church, which has recently been fitted with dishes etc.

Your patronage will be very much appreciated.

TO SPEND WINTER IN FLORIDA.

Lieut. Robert Poole has been in Williamson, W. Va., from Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio for the past few days with his family. Lieut. Poole is expecting orders every day to report at Jacksonville, Fla., where he expects to spend three months before being sent to France. His family will accompany him to Jacksonville and spend the winter. Mrs. Poole was Miss Mabel Butler of this city.

REQUISITION IS HONORED.

A requisition for the extradition from Wayland, Ky., of John Pezaroost charged with manufacturing whiskey in Campbell-co., Tennessee, was honored by Governor Stanley.

MISSIONARY MEETING.

The Young People's Missionary Society met Saturday afternoon with Miss Julia Snyder.

On Tuesday afternoon the Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church South, met at the home of Mrs. T. W. Shank. Also, the weekly sewing was held there after the Missionary meeting.

RED CROSS SUPPER.

The Red Cross oyster supper at the M. E. Church South last Friday evening was a successful affair. The amount realized above expenses was \$36.

OLD FASHIONED DANCE.

The Huntington Herald-Dispatch says:—One of the most entertaining and unusual events of local interest in the dance to be given Friday in Kenova where nothing but the old-fashioned dancing figures of the past generation will be in vogue. Many from this city will attend and the event of the prominence of the master of ceremonies, former Congressman James A. Hughes who will "call the figures." The receipts from the evening will be turned over to the Red Cross chapter of Kenova.

WAYNE, WEST VA.

Georgia, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bailey of Toms creek underwent an operation at the Mount Hope hospital in Huntington last week for enlarged tonsils. The little girl is at home now and improving.

Scarlet fever has again made its appearance in Wayne two cases having been discovered in the homes of D. B. Hardwick and Dock Bowen.

The council of the town held a session Sunday night and directed the Board of Health of the town to close the schools and also ordered the homes where the disease was found to be quarantined.—News.

WEBBVILLE.

Mrs. L. J. Webb, Sr. spent the weekend with friends in Ashland going to Camp Sherman on Sunday to visit her son.

FEED, MEAL AND FLOUR

THE BIG SANDY MILLING COMPANY HAS LATELY CHANGED HANDS; AS STATED IN A RECENT ISSUE OF THIS PAPER, AND NOW HAS IN A SUPPLY OF GRAIN AND IS READY TO TAKE CARE OF THEIR CUSTOMERS IN AN EFFICIENT A MANNER AS POSSIBLE. WE AIM TO GIVE A SQUARE DEAL TO ALL. "LIVE AND LET LIVE" IS OUR MOTTO. SO WHEN IN NEED OF ANY KIND OF FEED, MEAL OR FLOUR, COME AND SEE US AND

Get our Prices before you Buy

WE HAVE RECENTLY REPAIRED OUR MILL WITH NEW BOLTING CLOTHES AND ARE PREPARED TO GIVE YOU GOOD FLOUR, IF YOUR WHEAT IS GOOD ACCORDINGLY. WE STILL GIVE A BARREL OF FLOUR FOR FIVE BUSHELS OF GOOD WHEAT, CUSTOMER PAYING FOR THE BARREL OR FURNISHING SAME FOR HIS FLOUR.

Big Sandy Milling Company
By M. A. HAY, Secretary

TUSCOLA

School is progressing nicely at this place.
Several at this place attended meeting at the Brammer Gap Sunday.
Dan Carter was calling on Hazel Graham Sunday.
Miss Fay Smith spent Sunday night with Miss Garnet Jordan.
Miss Essie May Roberts attended church at Brammer Gap Sunday.
Miss Jettie Watson, who has been visiting the Misses Smith, has returned to her home at Grayson, Ky.
Garnet and Alberta Jordan were the guests of Fay Smith Sunday.
Conrad W. Jordan still makes his regular trips to Lonsome hollow.
Rowland M. Horton is spending a few days with his wife who is teaching school at this place.
Drew Adams still makes his regular trips to C. F. Smith's.
Miss Mary Bromfield was the guest of Marie Smith Sunday.
Last Saturday evening Miss Ruth Childers of this place, became the bride of Mr. Con Ferguson of Argelille. They have the best wishes of a host of friends.
John Childers was the guest of Wylie Childers this week.
Miss Bertha N. Cooksey spent Saturday night with Essie May Roberts.
Misses Thurst and Sunshine Lardgo were guests of their cousins Blanche and Ruth Jordan, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. John Savage and little son were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Smith Sunday.
Ward Womack and Sylvester Wood were at the Gap Sunday.

TWO CHUMS.

YATESVILLE.
The off business is still on the boom. A well is being drilled and will soon be completed on the land of Jesse Leonard. A well just completed on the Fowler farm has a good showing for oil and will be shot one day this week.

Several wells about over the field have been completed lately and each and all show well for oil.

Died, on the 24th inst, a 26 month old child of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McKone. Its remains were laid to rest in the family burial ground and the funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Centley our preacher in charge. The bereaved family has the deepest sympathies of the community.

Farmers are busily engaged gathering corn, which product proves to be very light throughout this community. Lay and Harry Yates have a coal mine opened up on the Buck Branch a short distance below here which proves to be a great convenience to Fairburg and surrounding neighborhood.

Superintendent J. H. Ekers had an automobile wreck near here last Monday morning but fortunately no hurt was done save to the automobile which was soon patched up by Worth Blankenship, our automobile doctor.

Miss Dora Johns' school here is progressing nicely, but owing to the approach of cold weather and the bad condition of our roads the school improvement league has gone into winter quarters.

Our Sunday school is still progressing nicely and a Bible class has recently been organized.

Columbus Crank, one of our old and most respected citizens, is in very poor health at this writing.

Lucas, mine boss of the Chattahoochee was here on a hunting tour last week and bagged a great many rabbits and quail. While here he made his home with our neighbor, Bascom Thacker.

COUNTRY GREENHORN.

LOST:—During fair in Women's Department one embroidered napkin 16 inch set. Napkin was embroidered in colors and pinned on to one large piece with three other napkins. Please look and see if through mistake you got this napkin mixed with your articles. Return to PAULEE DAVIS and receive reward.

JOFFRE LIKES SHORT POEMS

Hero of the Marne Carries Them With Him to Read in the Train.

Paris.—Talk that the Immortals may elect Marshal Joffre a member of the Institute has evoked many stories of the great soldier's appreciation of literature. One of the best concerns a young poet who, on the eve of the marshal's departure for America, presented him with a slender sheaf of his poems.

Joffre, who is fond of souvenirs and who brought back hundreds from America—including cards of invitation and banquet menus—took the manuscript. Then desiring to express his appreciation, he looked at it and said: "Poems? Oh, yes, I like them." Then after a pause: "They are just the right size to slip in one's pocket to read in the train."

WHITE PLAGUE FIGHT IS ON

Red Cross to Care for French Women and Children in France.

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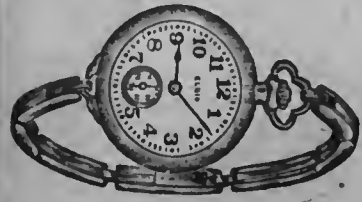
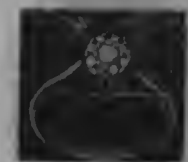


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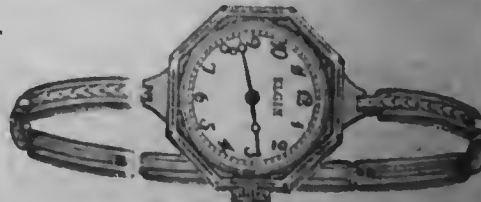


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TUSCOLA.

School is progressing nicely at this place. Several at the place attended meeting at the Brammar Gap Sunday. Dan Carter was calling on Hazel Graham Sunday. Miss Fay Smith spent Sunday night with Miss Garnet Jordan. Miss Essie May Roberts attended church at Brammar Gap Sunday. Miss Jettie Watson, who has been visiting the Misses Smith, has returned to her home at Grayson, Ky. Garnet and Alberta Jordan were the guests of Fay Smith Sunday. Conrad W. Jordan still makes his regular trips to Lonesome hollow. Rowland M. Horton is spending a few days with his wife who is teaching school at this place. Drew Adams still makes his regular trips to C. F. Smith's. Miss Mary Bromfield was the guest of Marie Smith Sunday. Last Saturday evening Miss Ruth Childers of this place, became the bride of Mr. Con Ferguson of Argelitte. They are both prominent teachers. They have the best wishes of a host of friends. John Childers was the guest of Willie Childers this week. Miss Bertha N. Cooksey spent Saturday night with Essie May Roberts. Misses Thureia and Sunshine Jordan were guests of their cousins Blanche and Ruth Jordan, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John Savage and little son were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Smith Sunday. Ward Womack and Sylvester Wood were at the Gap Sunday. TWO CHUMS.

YATESVILLE.

The oil business is still in the boom. A well is being drilled and will soon be completed on the land of Jesse Leonard. A well just completed on the Crider farm has a good showing for oil and will be shot one day this week.

With about over the feed have been supplied lately and each and all show well for all. Died, on the 24th inst. a 20 month old child of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McKenna. Its remains were laid to rest in the family burial ground and the funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Criley our preacher in charge. The bereaved family has the deepest sympathies of the community. Farmers are busily engaged gathering corn, which product proves to be very light throughout this community. Jay and Harry Yates have a coal mine opened up on the Buck Branch a short distance below here which proves to be a great convenience to Fallasburg and surrounding neighborhood. Superintendent J. H. Ekers had an automobile wreck near here last Monday morning but fortunately no hurt was done save to the automobile which was soon patched up by Worth Blankenship, our automobile doctor. Miss Dora Jolina's school here is progressing nicely, but owing to the approach of cold weather and the bad condition of our roads the school improvement league has gone into winter quarters. Our Sunday school is still progressing nicely and a Bible class has recently been organized. Columbus Crank, one of our old and most respected citizens, is in very poor health at this writing. Lucas, mine boss of the Chattahoochee was here on a hunting tour last week and bagged a great many rabbits and quail. While here he made his home with our neighbor, Bascom, Thacker. COUNTRY GREENHORN. LOST:—During fair in Women's Department one embroidered napkin 16 inch sq. Napkin was embroidered in colors and pinned on to one large piece with three other napkins. Please look and see if through mistake you got this napkin mixed with your articles. Return to PAIRLEE DAVIS and receive reward.

JOFFRE LIKES SHORT POEMS

Hero of the Marna Carries Them With Him to Read in the Train.

Paris.—Talk that the Immortals may elect Marshal Joffre a member of the Institute has evoked many stories of the great soldier's appreciation of literature. One of the best concerns a young poet who, on the eve of the marshal's departure for America, presented him with a slender sheaf of his poems.

Joffre, who is fond of souvenirs and who brought back hundreds from America—including cards of invitation and banquet menus—took the manuscript. Then desiring to express his appreciation, he looked at it and said: "Poems? Oh, yes, I like them." Then after a pause: "They are just the right size to slip in one's pocket to read in the train."

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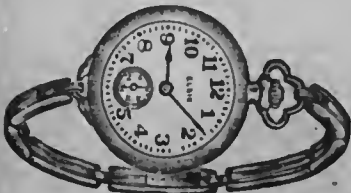
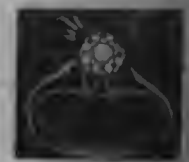


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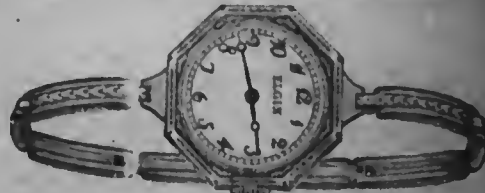


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and continue until Monday, Dec. 24, Xmas Eve. My entire \$7000 stock of Merchandise will be placed on sale at the mercy of the people regardless of what it brings. I am going away from here entirely the 1st of Jan. 1918. Not from Fort Gay, but from this part of the country.

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A Boy And His Sweetheart.

Many years ago one of the best of mothers fell asleep at the gates of light. All of her children, of course, revered her memory, but one of them was the babe of war-time duty, and owing to the anxieties and excitement of the period and the continued absence of his father, extraordinary affection and devotion was, doubtless, lavished upon him.

Perhaps it was because of this that after the mother's death, and for many years, this boy never retired for the night without placing at his bedside a chair, under the childish impression that his mother would occupy it and watch him sleep.

When other boys would write in sand or carve on trees the names of sweethearts dear, this lad would trace with knife or stick the name of his sweetheart—his mother's name.

When but a boy he chose his sweetheart's name as one to be given to his own daughter, and when in later years he wrote some tales of love and life, his heroine, good and true, bore with signal honor and renown the name he loved so well. So, thru boyhood's days this precious memory was enshrined within his heart; the purity, the devotion, the sacrifices, the sorrows of this patient, God loving and serving woman was ever before him often deterring him from evil and sometimes inspiring him for good.

Happy he with such a mother. Faith in womanhood beats with his blood, and trust in all things high come easy to him.

There is perhaps no place where courage is more needed than in the home life by the tired housewife and busy mother. Her daily work is but a repetition of many a yesterday. No one fills a place of greater responsibility, no one more worthy of the highest honors than the wise and faithful mother and housekeeper, who lives her work and acts on the principle that "it is not what we do but how that makes us great." Her example is worthy of imitation by the noblest of earth. There is nothing more beautiful in life than the brave spirit who thus lovingly performs her part of the labors of earth, asking no greater reward than the consciousness of having done her duty well and led her household to Christ. Priceless indeed, must be the peace that stills her heart in the hour of death, and endless rest awaits the tired hands when life is done.

Beautiful hands are those that do work that is earnest, and brave and true.

Moment by moment the long day thru "Beautiful twilight at set of sun, Beautiful goal with race well run, Beautiful rest with work well done."

"Beautiful grave where grasses creep Where brown leaves fall and drifts lie deep Over worn-out hands—Oh, beautiful sleep."

—And A Bible

A Peoria, Ill., exchange says that a citizen soldier happened into the office yesterday morning shortly before he left with his comrades for Camp Dodge where the new members of the national army are to be trained for

service. His mother had made him a new army bag and the soldier exhibited it together with its contents.

The contents of the bag included some clothes, a comb, the tobacco kit which Peoria people had given him the night before at the Coliseum meeting a little book of instructions for soldiers, a French dictionary, a photograph of his mother and of a pretty young woman—and a bible.

The soldier was a big strapping fellow; he was red-blooded; his shoulders were broad and strong; his muscles were those of an athlete—and it was he who had the bible. He wasn't a regular church-goer; he never won any medals for perfect Sunday school attendance; he never headed the Christian Endeavor society or led a personal workers' meeting at the Y. M. C. A.—but he had his bible. Mr. National Army Man perhaps never uttered a dozen prayers in his life—except the "Now I Lay me" that his mother taught him—but he had his bible.

We do not attempt to explain it, but reports indicate that bibles are quite common in army cantonments and concentration camps. And, what may be more important, the bibles are read.

Two Pictures. When morning broke and baby came. The house did hardly seem the same as just before. The very air grew fragrant with the essence rare of a celestial garden, where the angel, breathless, learned to hear the youthful mother's fervid prayer.

To God, to guard her first-born care And with what diligence each ear did listen, as her lips did frame The helpless little stranger's name— When baby came.

When darkness came and baby died, The mirthful grief that fell behind The transient joy that filled the room But just before, where brooding gloom No dumbly spoke the baby's doom We hid away the little things Woven by nature's matchless loom— A woman's hand! The amber bloom The flowers, too, in sorrow vied Waxed dimmer on the flinch's wings! As if kind nature drooped and cried— When baby died!

Memory is as beautiful as hope and a thousand times more true. Fortunately are they who have a happy childhood to recall, after they have gone out into the world to meet the bitter currents of disappointment that lie in wait for many who leave the paternal roof to seek home and fortune among strangers.

Children need more models than critics. We should be as nearly possible what we want them to be.

SATURDAY. Thanks for the American army are expected to be as effective as those used by the British in their great drive. Although some American officers have not regarded the tanks as highly desirable for the American forces, there is every reason to believe that substantial progress has been made in producing fighting machines that embody all that the British and French authorities have learned of this type of war engine.

The entire coal output of the United States may be pooled and sold by the Government and if the plan is put into

effect it will become operative next spring. Newly-opened coal mines already have been put under control of the Government. Fuel Administrator Garfield yesterday warned Oklahoma operators that the production of coal must not stop pending action on their demands for higher prices.

Extensive relief work is now being carried out by the Red Cross in Italy. Forty-six carloads of materials have been received from France and twenty three ambulances have reached Milan on their way from Paris to the Italian front. Contracts have been awarded for fifty more ambulances.

MADGE.

We are sorry winter has come so soon. It looks cold and gloomy and hurts the attendance of our Sunday schools in the country.

John Fannon and daughter were visiting friends in Huntington and staying a few days last week.

Miss J. A. Moffett of Huntington, W. Va., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Matilda Meek.

Sam Doo Heberlin was the guest of his parents in Portsmouth, O., last week.

Misses Gladys Haws and Joseph Roberts were the guests of Miss Tudah Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Shannon and the upstairs guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Roberts.

We are so glad we have so little sickness and our farmers are busy gathering corn, getting ready for the bleak cold winter that is now upon us. They have already begun to butcher hogs. It will be mighty hard to Hooverize. When we have spare ribs and back bones and plenty of sour kraut in the barrel, but we must all make all the sacrifice we can. When we know our home circles are broken and our own boys are marching under the stars and stripes on perilous to the trenches in France, separated by many miles of land and sea. One of our own citizens here at Madge has given his last boy for his country, while two are already in France, the other has received a commission at Camp Taylor. In our own beloved State, Louisville, Ky. Let every Christian pray for our boys each day, for St. Paul says, "Pray for one another." While we are here at home in peace and plenty, so many of us so selfish, we are not denying our greedy selves of anything we can get let us be loyal enough to pray for the boys at the front who must suffer the privation of war and war is hell on earth compared with suffering, and if we haven't a boy out of our own home, some mother's boy has gone that we may be comfortable these cold winter days in our own homes.

Be loyal to the boys and the stars and stripes that are flying in all their glory on every patriotic home, and every public building all over our nation today.

APPLE BLOSSOMS.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. I have sold my store at Torchlight. All who owe accounts there will please call at the old stand and pay up. Do not delay, as I must get these matters closed.

ANDY NEW, JR.

REAL ESTATE.—If you think of buying property in or near Ashland, write to L. M. COFFEY, Ashland, Ky.

TICK EDICT IS LIFTED

North as Well as South Profits From Release.

Quarantine Against Cattle Fever Is Raised From Great Section in the South.

Washington, D. C.—An order signed by Secretary of Agriculture D. F. Houston lifted on December 1 from 65,000 square miles in the Southern states the federal quarantine against movement of Southern cattle. It is of great importance to cattle raisers and dealers of Northern states, as well as those of the South.

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CLOSING OUT SALE

WILL START

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and continue until Monday, Dec. 24, Xmas Eve. My entire \$7000 stock of Merchandise will be placed on sale at the mercy of the people regardless of what it brings. I am going away from here entirely the 1st of Jan. 1918. Not from Fort Gay, but from this part of the country.

MY STOCK NOW IS AT ITS FULL CAPACITY. ALL KINDS OF MERCHANDISE INCLUDING XMAS GOODS OF ALL KINDS. AT PRICES LOWER THAN I OR ANY ONE ELSE CAN BUY THEM FOR NOW. IT'S UP TO YOU TO DO AS YOU PLEASE TO SAVE YOUR HARD EARNED DOLLARS OR LEAVE IT AS YOU PLEASE TO HAVE BOUGHT GOODS VERY LOW IN THE PAST IN GO. I KNOW YOU HAVE BOUGHT GOODS VERY LOW IN THE PAST IN SPT OF THE HIGH PRICES NOW EXISTING. BUT YOU WILL SURELY MAKE THE MISTAKE OF YOUR LIFE IF YOU MISS THIS CLOSING OUT SALE. READ MY PRICE LIST, THEN DO AS YOU LIKE. IF YOU DO NOT CARE FOR YOUR HARD EARNED MONEY YOU HAD BETTER COME, AND COME QUICK, AS SUCH LOW PRICES WERE NEVER KNOWN IN OLD TIMES. NOW IT IS UP TO YOU. BETTER ACT WHILE YOU HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY. BY WAITING YOU WILL BE TOO LATE. NUP CED.

NOTICE! POSITIVELY ONE PRICE TO ALL. NO GOODS WILL BE TAKEN OUT ON APPROVAL. TERMS STRICTLY CASH. WILL EXCHANGE GOODS WITHIN 24 HOURS FROM TIME OF PURCHASE, BUT WE WILL NOT GIVE MONEY BACK. WILL GIVE OTHER GOODS IN EXCHANGE.

SHOES! SHOES!

300 PAIRS MEN'S HEAVY SHOES. SOLID LEATHER INSOLATED AND COUNTERS. PRESENT MARKET PRICE WOULD BE \$5.00

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HOME CIRCLE COLUMN

A Boy And His Sweetheart.

Many years ago one of the best of mothers fell "asleep at the gates of light." All of her children, of course, revered her memory, but one of them, was the babe of war-time, and owing to the anxieties and excitement of the period, and the continued absence of the father, extraordinary affection and devotion was, doubtless, lavished upon him.

Perhaps it was because of this that after the mother's death, and for many years, this boy never retired for the night without placing at his bedside a chair, under the childish impression that his mother would occupy it and watch him sleep.

When other boys would write in sand or carve on trees the names of sweethearts dear, this lad would trace with knife or stick the name of his sweetheart—their mother's name.

When but a boy he chose his sweetheart's name as one to be given to his own daughter, and when in later years he wrote some tales of love and life, his heroine, good and true, bore with signal honor and renown the name he loved so well. So, thru boyhood's days this precious memory was enshrined within his heart; the purity, the devotion, the sacrifices, the sorrows of this patient, God loving and serving woman was ever before him often inspiring him for good.

Happy he with such a mother, faith in womanhood beats with his blood, and trust in all things high come easy to him.

There is perhaps no place where courage is more needed than in the home life by the tired housewife and busy mother. Her daily work is but a repetition of many a yesterday. No one fills a place of greater responsibility, nor one more worthy of the highest honors than this wise and faithful mother and housekeeper, who lives her work and acts on the principle that "It is not what we do but how that makes us great." Her example is worthy of imitation by the noblest of earth. There is nothing more beautiful in life than the brave spirit who thus lovingly performs her part of the labors of earth, asking no greater reward than the consciousness of having done her duty well and led her household to Christ. Priceless indeed, must be the peace that stills her heart in the hour of death, and endless rest awaits the tired hands when life is done.

Beautiful hands are those that do work that is earnest, and brave and true.

Moment by moment the long day thru "Beautiful twilight at set of sun, Beautiful goal with rice well run, Beautiful rest with work well done."

"Beautiful grave where grasses creep Where brown leaves fall and drifts lie deep."

Over worn-out hands—Oh, beautiful sleep.

—And A Bible

A Peoria, Ill., exchange says that a citizen soldier happened into the office yesterday morning shortly before he left with his comrades for Camp Dodge where the new members of the national army are to be trained for

service. His mother had made him a new army bag and the soldier exhibited it together with its contents.

The contents of the bag included some clothes, a comb, the tobacco kit which Peoria people had given him the night before at the Coliseum meeting, a little book of instructions for soldiers, a French dictionary, a photograph of his mother and of a pretty young woman—and a bible.

The soldier was a big strapping fellow; he was red-blooded; his muscles were broad and strong; his muscles were those of an athlete—and it was he who had the bible. He wasn't a regular church-goer; he never won any medals for perfect Sunday school attendance; he never headed the Christian Endeavor society or led a personal workers' meeting at the Y. M. C. A.—but he had his bible. Mr. National Army Man perhaps never uttered a dozen prayers in his life—except the "Now I Lay me" that his mother taught him—but he had his bible.

We do not attempt to explain it, but reports indicate that bibles are quite common in army cantonments and concentration camps. And, what may be more important, the bibles are read.

Two Pictures.

When morning broke and baby came The house did hardly seem the same As just before. The very air Grew fragrant with the essence rare of a celestial garden, where The angels, breathless, learned to hear The youthful mother's fervid prayer To God, to guard her first-born care And with what diligence each ear Did listen, as her lips did frame The helpless little stranger's name— When baby came.

When darkness came and baby died, The misty grief that fell behind The transient joy that filled the room But just before: where brooding gloom Now dumbly spoke the baby's doom. We bid away the little things Woven by nature's matchless loom— A woman's hands! The amber bloom The flowers, too, in sorrow vied Waxed dimmer on the finch's wings! As if kind nature drooped and cried— When baby died!

Memory is as beautiful as hope and a thousand times more true. Fortunately are they who have a happy childhood to recall, after they have gone out into the world to meet the bitter currents of disappointment that lie in wait for many who leave the paternal roof to seek home and fortune among strangers.

Children need more models than critics. We should be as nearly possible what we want them to be.

SATURDAY.

Thanks for the American army are expected to be as effective as those used by the British in their great drive. Although some American officers have not regarded the tanks as highly desirable for the American forces, there is every reason to believe that substantial progress has been made in producing fighting machines that embody all that the British and French authorities have learned of this type of war engine.

The entire coal output of the United States may be pooled and sold by the Government and if the plan is put into

effect it will become operative next spring. Newly-opened coal mines already have been put under control of the Government. Fuel Administrator Garfield yesterday warned Oklahoma operators that the production of coal must not stop pending action on their demands for higher prices.

Extensive relief work is now being carried out by the Red Cross in Italy. Forty-six carloads of materials have been received from France and twenty three ambulances have reached Milan on their way from Paris to the Italian front. Contracts have been awarded for fifty more ambulances.

MADGE.

We are sorry winter has come again. It looks cold and gloomy and hinders the attendance of our Sunday schools in the country.

John Tannan and daughter were visiting friends in Huntington and Ashland a few days last week.

Mrs. J. A. Moffett of Huntington, W. Va., is visiting her mother Mrs. Mathilda Meek.

Sun. Doc Heabertin was the guest of his parents in Portsmouth, O., last week.

Misses Gladys Hlaws and Sophia Roberts were the guests of Miss Tush Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Shannon are the present guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Roberts.

We are so glad we have so little sickness and our farmers are busy gathering corn, getting ready for the bleak cold winter that is now upon us. They have already begun to butcher hogs. It will be mighty hard to Hooverize. When we have spare ribs and back bones and plenty of sour krout in the barrel but we must all make all the sacrifice we can. When we know our home circles are broken and our own boys are marching under the stars and stripes on perhaps the trenches in France, repatriated by many miles of land and sea. One of our own citizens here at Madge has given his last boy for his country, while two are now in France, the other has received a commission at Camp Taylor.

In our own beloved State, Louisville, Ky. Let every Christian pray for our boys each day, for St. Paul says, "Pray for one another." While we are here at home in peace and plenty, so many of us so selfish, we are not denying our greedy selves of anything we can get let us be loyal enough to pray for the boys at the front who must suffer the privation of war and war is hell on earth, compared with suffering, and it we haven't a boy out of our own home, some mother's boy has gone that we may be comfortable these cold winter days in our own homes.

Be loyal to the boys and the stars and stripes that are flying in all their glory on every patriotic home, and every public building all over our nation today.

APPLE BLOSSOMS.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

I have sold my store at Torchlight. All who owe accounts there will please call at the old stand and pay up. Do not delay, as I must get these matters closed.

ANDY NEW, JR.

REAL ESTATE.—If you think of buying property in or near Ashland, write to L. M. COPLE, Ashland, Ky.

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The Italians have succeeded in holding back the Germans and Austrians. They have fought like heroes. The slaughter on both sides has been terrific. Reinforcements of French and British men and supplies have at last arrived on the Italian front and it is believed the invaders will be driven out. The fighting is mostly in the open.

In Russia the friends of Germany seem to be in control of all the government they have, and the prospects are that Russia will become an ally of Germany. If this should occur the Japanese will no doubt swoop into Russia and give her more trouble than she has ever had. In any event it seems certain that Russia will be the means of prolonging the war very considerably, thus making the task of the United States an enormous one. For the sake of humanity, for the sake of ourselves and our own free land we must go forward until Germany's military government is crushed.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Julia Fulkerson's Administrator,
Plaintiff,
vs.
H. W. Fulkerson's Administrator, &c.,
Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment of the Lawrence Circuit Court entered of record at October term, 1917, the undersigned commissioner will on the 17th day of December, 1917, at being regular County Court day, offer for sale the following described real estate to the highest and best bidder on a credit of six, twelve and eighteen months.

Parcel Number One.

Beginning at two white oaks and a Hackberry on same ridge that makes down to Cooksey point on the Cooksey Fork of Cat Creek in Lawrence county, Kentucky, and being the beginning corner of the 200 acre patent issued by the Commonwealth of Kentucky on November 14, 1842 to Wm. M. Fulkerson, thence S 28° E to two hickories; S 39° W to set in rock and walnut S 21° E 52 p to a small hickory; S 48° E 40 p to hickory; S 73° E 12 p to two hickories; S 59° E 20 p to small hickory N 60° E 30 p to small hickory by path N 70° E 15 p to red oak; N 48° W 20 p to oak N 13° E 6 p to hickory; N 39° E 60 p to two dog woods; N 17° E 16 p to buckeye; N 67° W 10 p to hickory on hill side thence a straight line to a set in stone on road fork corner to A Kitchen lands thence down the road fork to forks of same to white oak, poplar and set in stone corner of 733 acre chestnut flat tract, thence with the calls of same S 54½° E 12 p to small beech N 43° E 55 p to hickory; S 72° E 20 p to hickory; thence with line of Christian to corner of Thomas Murphy, thence following his line to E. Deerfield line, and with his line to gum corner on line of 733 acre chestnut flat tract; thence following same S 58° W to beech corner to Covey Adams land; N 44° W 153 p to red oak on top of ridge between waters of Twin Branch and Road Fork of Cat; S 74° E 115 p to dogwoods chestnut and hickory; S 22° E 18 p to point of intersection of the S 53° E 620 p of the 733 acre tract thence reversing same S 58° E to leaning beech on Point Chaffin branch; thence with line between Rose heirs, L. Jobe and Fulkerson to a chestnut oak corner on top of ridge between Thomas Chaffin branch and Cranes Nest Fork of Cat; thence with the division line between John Hughes and L. Jobe to point of intersection of call N 6° E of 200 acre patent; thence with same to an agreed corner on line with A. Kitchen; thence following same an easterly course to Cranes Nest Fork to a large spring; thence down branch with said agreed line to a large lynn and set in stone corner of 200 acre patent; thence due East to top of ridge to chestnut oak corner; thence with fence to the beginning; there is excluded from the above boundary four tracts of land aggregating 91 1/4 acres held by John Large in the suit of Wm. Fulkerson vs. John Large, to which suit and judgment reference is here made for full and complete description of such exclusions.

It is hereby intended to describe all the lands remaining unced of the 731 acre Chestnut Flat Tract and of the 200 acre Skidmore Knob tract, owned by W. M. Fulkerson, at the time of his death.

Together with the minerals, both fluid and solid, on the following tract of land in Lawrence county, Kentucky, to-wit:

Beginning at an ash on the Tom Chaffin's Branch, S 76° W 29 poles, S 83° W 13 poles to a white oak; S 88° W 18 poles N 41½° W 18 poles; N 32° W 13 1/4 poles to a hickory; due West 76 poles to black oak; N 66° E 122 poles to hickory by path on top of ridge; corner between L. Jobe and Fulkerson; thence an easterly course with path about 60 poles to a large chestnut oak; E 15 poles to 2 small hickories and black oak; S 25° E 150 poles to beech on Chaffin's Branch; thence S 76° W 2 poles and 10 links to the beginning, containing 100 acres more or less, and being the mineral rights reserved in deed of record in Deed Book No. 53, page 238, in the office of the Clerk of the Lawrence County Court, and the said lands being a part of the 733 acre Chestnut Flat tract and of the 200 acre Skidmore Knob patent.

Also, all the minerals including oil and gas on the following tract, in Lawrence county, Kentucky, to-wit:

Beginning on a stake in Murphy's field on head of Morgan's creek and on the line of the 738 acre Chestnut Flat tract; thence with said survey S 52° W 20 poles to 2 white oaks; N 31° W 60 poles to 2 hickories; thence leaving said survey and with John Large's

claim S 88° W 10 poles to white oak, S 15° E 122 poles to white oak; N 65° E 22 poles; N 70° E 34 poles; N 28° E 14 poles; N 10° E 14 poles to poplar; thence a straight line to the beginning, containing 46 acres; being the mineral rights reserved in deed from Wm. Fulkerson to Thomas Murphy by deed of record in Deed Book No. 52, page 160 in the office of the Clerk of Lawrence County Court.

Parcel Number Two.

Also, the following described tract of land, below and near the city of Louisa in Lawrence county, Kentucky, to-wit:

Beginning on a water-birch standing on the bank of the Big Sandy river just below the mouth of the Wellman Branch; thence with an agreed line made by the Fulkerson heirs and Jas. Q. Lackey, to the corner of a fence belonging to the heirs of John Friend, by the side of the old county road; thence crossing the old road a westerly direction to a small double black oak; thence a straight line to the Wellman and Wallace spotted oak corner on top of ridge by side of old county road; thence continuing the said agreed line, with a wire fence a westerly direction to the county road that runs to the Falls of Blaine; thence an easterly direction S 84° E 14 poles; S 59° E poles; S 80½° E 20 poles; S 84½° E 20 poles; S 76° E 11 poles and 19 links to 3 small white oaks; thence with the county road to walnut corner of Snyder brothers near county road; thence N 27½° E with the division fence of Snyder brothers passing a mulberry on the Wellman Branch, and marked stone on main county road to the Big Sandy river, and with the river down the same to the place of beginning, containing 103 acres more or less, and being the W. M. Fulkerson home farm.

Said lands will be sold in settlement of the estate of Julia Fulkerson, deceased and H. W. Fulkerson, deceased, and for the support, maintenance and education of the infants, Georgia Fulkerson and H. W. Fulkerson, Jr.

Said sale will be made at one o'clock p. m. on said date at the front door of the Court House in Louisa, Lawrence county, Kentucky purchaser required to give bond with approved security payable to the Master Commissioner; said bonds to have the force and effect of a replevin bond, with lien retained upon the land sold for judicial security of the purchase price. Parcel No. 1 will be sold separately but as a whole.

Parcel No. 2 will be sold as a whole out separately from parcel No. 1.

W. M. SAVAGE, M. C. L. C. C.

THE TWO GLASSES.

The following poem is being published by request of Mrs. J. W. Yates and for the benefit of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Yates having clipped the poem from a paper forty years ago:

There sat two glasses filled to the brim,
On a rich man's table rim to rim;
One was red and red as blood,
And one was clear as the crystal flood.

Said the glass of wine to the paler brother,
"Let us tell the tales of the past to each other."

I can tell of banquet and revel and mirth,
And the proudest and grandest souls on earth.

Fell under my touch as though struck by blight
Where I was king, for I ruled in might.

From heads of kings I have torn the crown,
From the height of fame I have hurled men down.

I have flattered many an honored name,
I have taken virtue and given shame;

I have tempted the youth with a slip, a taste,
That has made him future a barren waste.

Far greater than kings am I,
Or than any army beneath the sky.

I have made the arm of the driver fail,
And sent the train from the iron rail.

I have made good ships go down at sea
And the shrieks of the lost were sweet to me;

For they said, "Behold how great you be,
Fame, strength, wealth, genius before you fall."

And your might and power are over all!
Ho! Ho! pale brother, "laughed the wine,

Can you boast of deeds as great as mine?"

Said the water glass: "I can not boast
Of a king dethroned or a murdered host;

But I can tell of a heart once sad
By my crystal drop made light and glad;

Of thirst I've quenched and brows I've laved,
Of hands I've cooled and souls I've saved."

I have leaped through the valley and
Flashed down the mountain,

Flowed in the river and played in the fountain,
Slept in the sunshine and dropped from the sky.

And everywhere gladdened the land,
Escape and eye.

I have eased the hot forehead of fever and pain,
I have made the parched meadow grow fertile with grain.

I can tell of the powerful wheel of the mill,
That ground out the flour and turned at my will.

I can tell of manhood deposed by you,
That I have lifted and crowned anew.

I cheer, I help, I strengthen and aid;
I gladden the heart of man and maid;

I set the chained wind-captive free,
And all are better for knowing me."

These are the tales they told each other—
The glass of wine and paler brother—
As they sat together filled to the brim,
On the rich man's table rim to rim.

IN MEMORY OF MRS. AGNES PENNINGTON

The hoary frost of autumn
Falls upon some flower fading,
It drops its tired head
In golden hours are waning.

Alas! it falls, here it rests
Alone forgotten upon the breast
Of mother earth, decaying
To rise no more.

Not so with man, if he die,
Shall he rise again?
Not here, where his feet must
Tread the bridge of sighs.

Where all things will decay,
But in a land of celestial beauty,
Unseen by mortal eyes,

Which redeth not away.

C. Q. K.
Mrs. Agnes Pennington, wife of Jno. Pennington, deceased, fell asleep October 24, 1917 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. L. Green at Webbville. She had at her bedside her five daughters, Mrs. Wm. Green of Jany; Mrs. T. L. Green, Mrs. Caudill and Wheeler of Blaine; Mrs. Mart Thompson and the wife and children of Andy Pennington, deceased. It was a peaceful ending, after more than two years of almost constant suffering. "Grandma" Pennington, as we who knew and loved her, were permitted to call her, was a woman to be greatly admired, her life was one that never faltered where justice and right dealing were required; her heart was big enough to take in all who needed to be mothered. The people of this vicinity should be proud to know they have had a woman like Agnes Pennington in its midst. I heard one say if we only had some one able to tell her life, the grand, noble things she has done, her wisdom and philosophy in her saying will long be remembered.

Grandma Pennington was one of the pioneer settlers of this section. The families were far between when she came into this vicinity where she has spent most of her life. She has seen generations born, and she has administered to them in their dying hours. They have come and they have gone still she moves on an angel among them. She would say, "I don't know what God is keeping me for, but it is something." The last words I heard her speak when she was wanting to be turned, we could not at first understand, at last we understood her. She said, "God can turn me over." Oh! how she trusted and loved Him. Oh to be able to tell the good things due this good woman.

Mrs. Pennington was 90 years old last Easter. She was born on April 8, 1827 in Powell Valley, Old Virginia. She was the daughter of John Stungell and wife, was married at the age of 17 to Levi Webb, of Webbville, leaving Virginia at the early age of seventeen and moving to Lawrence county, Ky. They lived for one year on Caney, then moving to what is now known as the Webb farm on East Fork. Here two children were born to them, Mrs. L. J. Watson, now deceased, the mother of the much beloved Senator Morton Watson. I will mention here an unusual love and comradeship that existed between Dr. Watson and his grandmother. She never recovered from the shock of the tragic death of her much loved Morton as she always called him. Her other daughter is Mrs. Mart Thompson of Lick creek.

When Mrs. Pennington and her first husband moved to Kentucky they rode through horseback bringing their worldly possessions on a pack horse from Powell Valley, by only a small path made through the forest. Mr. Webb died after four or six years of wedlock. A reasonable time after his death she was married to John Pennington. No more will she be with us. God in his goodness has called her home. Slightly she has drifted across the dark stream, borne by a white-robed angel band to the land where Jesus said "Come unto me all ye that weary and are heavy laden and I will give you rest."

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Jay Shortridge Guardian, Etc.,
Plaintiff,
vs.

George Shortridge, Etc.,
Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Lawrence County Court made at the October term 1917 in the above styled cause, the undersigned will on Monday, December 17, 1917 (being county court day) proceed to expose to public sale to the highest and best bidder, from the front door of the Court House in Louisa, Lawrence county, Kentucky the following described property, to-wit:

A tract of land situated in Lawrence county, Kentucky, on Catte Fork of Blaine and bounded on the north and east by the Culbertson farm, on the south by Jeff Collinsworth farm, and on the west by the Fugitt farm, containing about thirty acres, and lying the same conveyed by Jay Shortridge to Maggie Shortridge during her natural life and at her death to her children by said Jay Shortridge. Said deed being recorded in Deed Book 55, at page 368, Lawrence County Court Clerk's office.

Sale will be made upon a credit of six months, bond with good personal security required, payable to the plaintiff. Also, a lien will be retained upon the land sold as a further security for the payment of said bond.

W. M. SAVAGE, M. C. L. C. C.

"The Smell of Printer's Ink Is Music to My Ears," Says the Successful Merchant. Mixed Metaphor, but Good From an Ad. Standpoint.

GLENWOOD STOCK FARM

V. B. Shortridge Prop.
GLENWOOD KY.

—We Have For Sale—

THREE PURE-BLOOD SHORTHORN CALVES, MALES FOR SALE. THE SAME THAT WERE ON EXHIBITION AT THE COUNTY FAIR AT LOUISA. TO ANYBODY WISHING TO BUY WE WILL MAKE THE PRICE RIGHT. COME AND SEE THE STOCK. REGISTRATION PAPERS FURNISHED.

EVERY SUIT IN THE HOUSE

ON SALE AT

HALF PRICE

Just think what it means--Thanksgiving just here, yet the winter is only starting--You are to have your choice of our still large exhibition of fine quality, fashionable suits--the Anderson-Newcomb kind--At one-half the original price.

And Madam, this point is worth your consideration, too, you know what a scarcity there is of wool; you also know that next year in all possibility everything in suits, with the exception of the very expensive ones, will be part cotton, so if you do not really need a suit for this year, you will be using the best of judgment, true economy by buying a Suit for next year,

The Anderson-Newcomb Co.

On Third Avenue Huntington, W. Va.

Protecting Your Children

The long, hard school term drains the vitality of growing children and you wonder why they are listless, puny and pale.

Every school child will show marked improvement in health and growth if given

SCOTT'S EMULSION

Its rich, uniform cod liver oil gets into their blood and gives them vim, snap and zest. It creates strength to resist school sicknesses, overcome pinched faces, sallow complexions and dull eyes. High authorities have established again and again that cod liver oil promotes growth and energizes the body and brain.

The imported Norwegian cod liver oil always used in Scott's Emulsion is now refined in our own American laboratories which guarantees it free from impurities. Scott & Bower, Bloomfield, N. J. 17-15

WILBUR.

There was no school at this place last week. Our teacher, Fred Steele was called to Louisville. He has returned home and will finish his school. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Johnson and Mrs. C. C. Hays were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Esley Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Burgess were out car riding Sunday.

John Nickell of Charley was calling on friends at this place recently.

Davis Spence, of Charley, passed down our creek Tuesday.

Charley Hays of Flat Gap called on relatives at this place Sunday.

Several from this place attended church at the head of Brushy Sunday.

BROWN EYES.

Hats, Ladles and Misses, all the new styles for fall and winter, suits, coats and one piece dresses. A large line of shoes now on display at Justice's store, evening.

LOST--light hand for covered gloves. Please return to postoffice.

CLEAN-UP SALE!

On Ladies Coats and Suits

Friday, Nov. 30th
Saturday, Dec. 1st

Mr. George Lear will be there with five large trunks of Seasonable goods to deliver as sold. His goods are choice.



B & L Style

LOUISA FURNITURE CO.,

E. E. SHANNON

Ladies, if you haven't bought your Winter Hats, you should do so at once at our store. A competent milliner is here to see that you get a becoming style.

Every Day is Bargain Day at our Store.

LADIES Suits and Coats Cheap

W. H. Adams
Pierce's Old Stand

PERIL IN HAIR DYES

Munitions Workers Use Explosive to Get Auburn Tint.

British Official Issues Warning Against Practice Which is Fatal to Health.

London.—An official of the explosives department of the ministry of munitions has uttered a warning against the practice, disclosed in a West London police court case, among munition workers of using T. N. T. powder to impart to their hair a chestnut or auburn color. The particular powder mentioned was tetryl, a variety of T. N. T.

"Officially, I am unaware of the practice," said the official, "but if it does exist it is a most dangerous one. The familiar pigmentation of the skin, due to handling this explosive is not, in itself, a serious matter, for it wears off after a time, but the skin itself is a great absorber of poison, and toxic jaundice and dermatitis may result. Those continually 'doping' the scalp and roots of the hair with T. N. T. would lay themselves open to this obstinate complaint, but, apart from this, the effect of the stuff on the hair cells and tissue is in no way persistent. A yellowish hue may be imparted, but viewed purely as an ornament it is ineffective.

"Mercuric acid, on the other hand, which gives a deeper shade, is quite harmless, and can be handled with impunity; but di-nitrate-benzene and tetrachlorethane (used for airplane wings and eliminating beetles from Westminster hall) is much worse."

"I cannot conceive any woman, however vain, placing herself in the position of acquiring disease by inoculating the scalp with T. N. T.," declared a well known private analytical chemist. "She can, if she wishes, chew it without disaster, but to rub it is fatal from a health point of view."

New Fall and Winter Goods.



Your Special Opportunity to save money on Fall and Winter Goods is NOW, while they are coming in. We bought them before the last advance came on and will give you the benefit of the saving. This includes all kinds of piece goods from Calicoes to Fancy Silks, Serges and Fine Dress Goods, and many other style goods that space will not allow us to mention.

MILLINERY

Our new and latest FALL STYLES of Ladies, Misses and Children's Hats are in and more coming every few days. Our Experienced hat trimmer can change or make a hat to suit you. SEE THIS LINE before buying elsewhere

SHOES.

We have on hands several pairs of SHOES that we will sell at the old price

GROCERIES

DONT FORGET we carry one of the LARGEST and BEST lines of GROCERIES in this city. Phone us for what you want.

A. L. BURTON

LOUISA

KENTUCKY



BIG SANDY NEWS.

Friday, November 30, 1917.



Christening The Baby.

Brown has a lovely baby girl. The clock left her with a flutter. Brown named her "Eileen Marie." For he hasn't any but her.

—Penn State Press.

Win. Easton of Estep, was in the NEWS office Thursday.

Miss Celeste See is able to be out after an illness of several days.

G. B. Helcher recently sold two of his registered live stock for \$300.

Down goes the price on Ladies and Children's hats. Only half price at Justice's store.

10-26-17.

The Lignett & Myers Tobacco company is to have its cigarette factory in Huntington.

Born, November 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hensley of Applegrove O., a 12 pound daughter.

More new Coats and Suits and one piece dresses this week at Justice's store.

10-26-17

BOARD FOR STUDENTS—W. H. HAYES, Lock-av. Jan-5-pd

BOY WANTED—There is an opening in the Big Sandy News office for a boy over 16 years of age.

The NEWS is published a little earlier than usual this week in order to better observe Thanksgiving day.

Miss Margaret Lackey returned Thursday of last week from Atlanta, Ga., where she had been several months with her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Newman.

Mrs. Lucian Johnson and Miss Rachel Johnson have returned to Frankfort after a visit to Huron and Johnson at Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

Miss Opal Spencer entertained to six o'clock dinner Tuesday evening Misses Julia Dorcas Snyder and Clara Bromley and Mr. Hebel Martin, of Camp Zachary Taylor.

Mrs. Mary B. Horton and Miss Sallie Burns returned Sunday from Cincinnati where they had been to see John B. Horton, who was leaving Ft. Thomas for Texas.

Fred S. Loar, son of A. J. Loar, of Huntington was awarded a commission as second lieutenant field artillery, in the officers reserve training camp at Ft. Benj. Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Vinson had as their guests for Thanksgiving the following relatives: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rateliff and son Jack, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther T. Long and son of Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Davis and children, Rex and Olive of Ft. Gay, left Wednesday for Huntington to attend the marriage of their daughter, Miss Marie Davis to Mr. Robert Maynor which took place on Wednesday evening.

Wm. Dean was here Friday. He is now located on a farm purchased recently five miles back of Ironton, O. His father, John T. Dean, also bought a farm in that vicinity. They are good citizens and we commend them to the people of Lawrence-co., Ohio.

G. B. Helcher, a prominent citizen of Glenwood, was a business visitor in the NEWS office Thursday. His father, Isaac Helcher who is 88 years old, is one of the best citizens of the county. He is in good health for one of his years and has no trouble except with his eyes which have failed very much.

PERSONAL MENTION

J. H. Preston was in Ashland last Friday.

Frank Connolly of Pikeville, was the guest Saturday of Louisa relatives and friends.

Floyd Wellman and son of Huntington were guests Sunday of Louisa relatives.

C. E. Hensley, the shoe salesman, was transacting business in Ashland Saturday.

Mr. E. M. Martin is here from Camp Taylor to spend Thanksgiving with Louisa friends.

John H. Rateliff, of Cincinnati, was the guest Wednesday of his sister Mrs. Robert Hurchett.

John E. Huchey and Leonidas Bromley were visitors in down river towns Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vinson and Jim Ferguson went to Cincinnati Thursday to spend the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hensley were visiting Mr. Hensley's father at Brickard West Va. last week.

D. J. Hurchett, Jr., was a business visitor in Columbus, Ohio, the first of the week.

Mrs. Jas. Vinson went to Ferguson West Va. for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Joe Merchant.

Mrs. J. J. Johnson of Jenkins was here Sunday en route home from a visit in Louisville.

Mrs. Hester Carter returned Monday from a visit to Mrs. G. B. Carter in Paintsville.

George F. Wroten arrived Wednesday evening from San Antonio, Texas for a short visit to his parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Wroten.

Major D. J. Hurchett was here from Mt. Sterling Thursday at the annual Thanksgiving family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Vinson.

Mrs. H. C. Corns came over from Huntington to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Q. Lackey.

Mrs. John H. Vaughan and little daughter, Gary Borders, were Tuesday to Huntington to visit relatives. Mr. Vaughan will join them Saturday.

Carl ("Windy") Heston returned Monday to Camp Taylor after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Heston, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. See and children of Point Pleasant W. Va., are spending Thanksgiving here with Mrs. See's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee M. Henry went to Ironton, Va., to be present at the celebration of the golden anniversary of the marriage of Mr. Henry's parents on Thursday.

Corporal H. Rachel Vanhoose returned last Sunday to Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., after a visit to his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Vanhoose of Ft. Gay. He leaves soon for France.

Miss Helen Alexander arrived Wednesday evening from Lexington where she is a student in Sayre College, and is spending her Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson returned to Ashland Sunday after spending a few days with Mrs. Dan Blankenship. Mrs. Robinson until a few weeks ago was Miss Anna Louise Blankenship.

Capt. Wallace W. Johns, Mrs. Johns and son, Wallace, Jr. left last Friday evening for Camp Benjamin Harrison. They were called here by the illness of Mr. Jas. C. Johns, who so condition is very much improved.

E. B. Brown, the blind piano dealer, of Huntington was a business visitor in Louisa Wednesday. Mr. Brown's friends will be interested in hearing that he was married recently to Miss Bertha Hensley, a teacher of this county.

THIS "ENEMY ALIEN" WANTS TO SERVE U. S.

Camp Dodge, Ia. — Fred Adams, a private of the 350th Infantry, is looking forward with regret to the day when he will be discharged from the service of the United States. He is a German by birth, and just two days before he was called to the colors in the draft received his first naturalization papers.

However, he has been adjudged an alien under the terms of the law by officials of the war department, and has been ordered discharged. He spent two years in the German army.

When the men in camp were solicited for Liberty bonds, Fritz listened and then shouted:

"Boys, I won't be with you here long. I want to dig in with the rest. Lieutenant, put me down for a \$100 bond. Here's the money."

SWISS TO GET LESS BREAD

Plea to Economize Accompanies Government Notice of Reduced Ration.

Berne, Switzerland.—Notice of the reduction in the bread ration for Switzerland from 250 to 225 grammes daily, beginning December 1, has been accompanied by an urgent plea from the government to the people to economize on two pounds a month from the card allowance. This saving would amount to 270 carloads of flour each month, or enough to stretch the available supply of flour in Switzerland from February to March.

The Swiss are urged, above all, not to follow the example set in the first month of the card regime when on the last day all the left-over tickets were utilized to hoard flour.

The present allowance of 250 grams of bread is based on all the supplies on hand and on the probable Swiss harvest. A still further reduction below 225 grams is probable unless the Swiss answer the government's appeal to save bread until flour supplies arrive from America.

COOTIE TRENCH SHIRT HERE

Vermin-Proof Garment to Be Made by Hundreds in New York Factory.

New York.—A model of the latest thing in trench fashions—the vermin-proof "cootie shirt"—has just been received here, and the American fund for French wounded is planning to turn them out by hundreds at its factory in New York. The "cootie shirt" which is said to enjoy great popularity among the men in the trenches, is made of cheesecloth and is dipped in creosote and other germicidal solutions. Owing to the texture of the fabric the shirt can be made only by hand.

See a Smoke 50 Miles.

Portland, Ore.—On the lookout station at the top of Mount Hood, over 11,000 feet high, Elijah Coalman remains during the fire season. With his glasses he covers an enormous area of forest. Some forest service men 50 miles away burned the boughs on which they had slept and Coalman at once reported the smoke.

THE MASTER PAINTER

(By R. C. B.)
PART I.

At morn when opens the celestial gate,
Appears the painter—the greatest of the great—
With canvas and palette and brush and paint,
To do his great duty and never faint.
Slowly and steadily his paints he spreads
Till the canvases covered with greens and reds.
Of course, other colors he uses too
For he paints the ground, the flowers and the dew.
From out of the ground there springs a small tree
That's so small, 'twould look like nothing to thee;
But he brushes and paints with green and brown,
'Till 'tis a tree in its stateliest gown.
The artist's canvas is on a great stage,
His audience the child, the christian, the sage.
Onward and onward his brush he moves
Till our souls are captured by the great views.
Changes are wrought with each stroke of the brush
The end of the season comes with a rush.
The brush moves onward, the blossoms do come;
With them come the bees with their busy hum.
The blossoms vanish, the fruit takes their place,
But we never have seen the Master's face.

PART II

The Master now throws o'er each forest green
More beautiful hues than was ever seen.
Far be it from me to try to tell you
Of all the beauty that is in those hues.
Just gain admittance to the Master's den,
And you'll say to me, "A fool you'd have been."
To describe the hues of each Master's art,
Or the least of that knowledge to impart,
But the Master paints with never a rest,
And he tells to those who know him best.
"The one price of admittance to my den is to want to come—if you haven't been."
So, with my meager mind but willing heart,
This Master painter each tree does strip bare,
And they throw their naked arms to the air.
Each shows its value, whether great or small.
But, without life, there's beauty in them all.
He teaches this lesson for each to meet:
Sacrifice is not bitter, but is sweet.

Sacrifice is not loss but is a gain.
And, altho we die we've not lived in vain.
Each tree tramples its life under its feet
That new life may rise, new life to meet.

WANT RAW FURS.

We are agents for big factory. Want furs to make caps for boys across the water. The factory has caps sold at \$8. That is why we can pay so high for pelts. Muskrats, dark, 45c; brown 40c; opossum, dark, winter web fur, 85c and 90c; 2d grade 50c; third 35c. Send possum and muskrat hides by parcel post or mail carrier. We pay charges. If not satisfactory we return same at our expense, both ways. Trappers and hunters, if you don't sell, you lose honest deal. We have over 300 customers. We are sleek ducks and on the job every day. On furs and eggs we lead in prices.

We want all the country hams you can bring. You can't overstock us. 25c in groceries, shoulders 20c lb. Dressed hogs, henn and feet off, \$20 per hundred. High patent flour.

We pay cash for all furs much above value. Cat hides, 2 weeks old, 24c lb. Cow hides \$14 cash if weight is in hide. Big Norman No. 1 1600 lb horse hides \$8.50.

When a good man is in business stand by him. All the farmers are reaping good harvest and we buy everything in quantities.

We sell high grade fancy up to date groceries cheaper than anyone. We sell best coffee. We buy corn and sell meal. We are little people and have five stores. We want new sorghum at 65c and 70c gallon in barrel lots. pay in groceries.

BIG BLAINE PRODUCE CO.
H. J. PACK, Manager,
Blains : Kentucky

WANTED! MEN

100 men to work in woods at Joe Creek, West Va., on Coal River
Wages \$2.25 per day and board for common labor; \$2.50 for timber cutters and drivers.

To go to Joe Creek change cars at St. Albans.

For further particulars, call at office, or write

Offutt & Boice

1120 First National Bank Bldg.,
HUNTINGTON, - W. VA.

FOR SALE—One 1916 model Maxwell touring car in good condition. Apply at Louisa Garage.

NOTICE.

Remember that there will be six per cent penalty to all taxes not paid before December 1, 1917 and all taxes not paid before December 19 will be made by law

R. A. STONE, Sheriff.
By J. T. SHANNON, D. S.

HOW ARE YOUR EYES?

DOES IT HURT YOUR EYES TO READ AT NIGHT BY ARTIFICIAL LIGHT? IF SO, IT IS A SIGN YOUR EYES ARE FAILING YOU AND THEY SHOULD HAVE ATTENTION AT ONCE



LET US TEST YOUR EYES

ATKINS AND VAUGHAN
Opticians

Louisa - Kentucky

IRELAND FEELING NO PINCH OF WAR

American Navy Men Find Food Cheaper There Than at Home.

AN ABUNDANCE OF POTATOES

Farmers Are Prosperous Beyond Precedent—Young Folk Staying by the Land—Much Better Off Than England.

Base of American Flotilla in British Waters.—When an American navy man who has visited Ireland in time of peace is asked what has impressed him most about Ireland in war, the inevitable answer is "Ireland's prosperity and freedom from the war-time restrictions of other countries."

Hundreds of Americans in the naval forces have visited England, Scotland, and even France. All agree that there is more freedom in Ireland, particularly less war-time curtailment of personal liberty, as, for instance, regarding restrictions in cutting and drinking. There is no conscription there, no "Defense of the realm act," few war taxes.

Is Land of Plenty.

Certainly when it comes to food and drink Ireland is a land of plenty in comparison with England. There is not only more food and drink there than in England, but it is of better quality. And in most parts of Ireland it is cheaper. Meatless and potatoless days are unknown there. Potatoes were never so plentiful. That they are cheaper even than in the United States was unknown to the commissary department of the American navy, which recently shipped to the flotilla about 10,000 bushels of potatoes which were never unloaded. After discharging its cargo of other foodstuffs, the naval supply ship was sent to another port, where the potatoes were sold to the British government.

Fresh meat also is cheaper in Ireland than in England or the United States. The Americans buy a large part of their meat ashore. Porterhouse steaks are from five to seven cents a pound cheaper than in the United States.

The Americans are impressed by the portions served in Ireland as compared with the lean ones they get in England. For three shillings they get a meal which includes soup, fish or lobster and sometimes both, hot or cold meat, dessert, cheese and biscuits, and tea or coffee. The same meal in a hotel of corresponding grade in England would cost at least six shillings.

Drink, too, is not only more plentiful but of better quality. The drinking places in Ireland are open all day and until eleven o'clock at night, whereas in England and Scotland they are only open for two hours in the afternoon and three hours in the evening.

Matches Are Scarce.

In England today it is considered indecent to ask a friend for a match. In France, matches are well nigh unobtainable. All the continental countries are suffering from a match famine. Not so in Ireland. Hotels, bars, and cigar stores all have matches in abundance, and they are used with the same freedom as in the time of peace.

The Americans see the Irish farmer prosperous beyond precedent. The sailor in his little trips to Dublin and such resorts as Killarney, Youghal, and Glengariff, passes through some of the richest agricultural country in the world. The immense amount of land under the plow impresses him, and he talks with many farmers who boast of the record prices they are getting for their produce, especially their live stock. Cows, sheep and pigs are so plentiful that the beautiful rolling landscape is fairly dotted with them.

Neither is the farmer troubled with a shortage of labor, as in England. Labor is plentiful and of good quality, the laborers, not only in the agricultural, but also in the industrial districts, being largely young men and women. This favorable labor situation is due largely to the fact that there has been practically no emigration from Ireland for three years, and the thousands of young men and women who formerly set out for America each month now remain in the country.

SEE NEED FOR 2½ CENT COIN

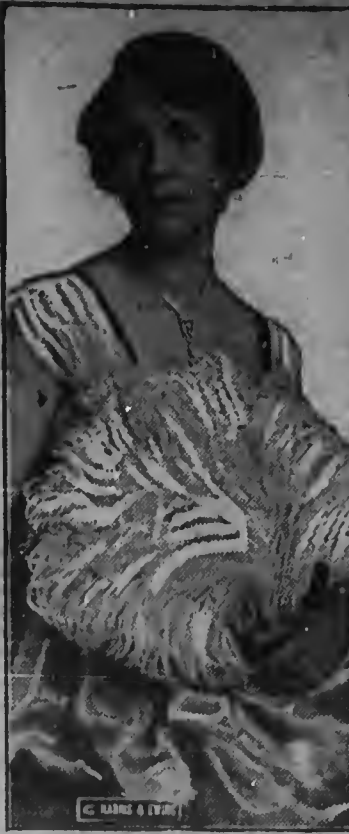
New Piece Said to Be Wanted to Help Meet Upward Price Jumps.

Washington.—Agitation for coinage of a 2½ cent piece has been renewed by the recent rapid upward movement of prices caused partly by new war taxes, and a bill probably will be presented at the next session of congress to authorize the mintage of such a coin.

Kills Big Chicken Hawk

Toledo, Wash.—Emmet Koontz, who lives on Salmon creek road, killed a chicken hawk recently measuring four feet two inches from tip to tip. The hawk has been an annoyance for the last two or three years and when killed had a mouth full of Chinese pheasant meat, which proved that it had been preying upon game birds as well as upon poultry yards.

DOLORES CECILIA BONILLAS



Dolores Cecilia Bonillas, beautiful daughter of the recently appointed ambassador from Mexico, recently married to Dr. Juan H. Rojo, first secretary of the embassy.

FIXES PRICE OF ALE

British Food Controller Takes Drastic Action.

Also Raises the Standard of Beverage, Which Cuts the Brewers' Profit.

London.—Government "beer" in future must be up to standard. Up to the present date any weak or watery compound that could possibly be vended has been described by the vendors as "government ale," with the result that the words "government ale" were being used by the public as a form of wit.

Since the limitation of brewing to 10,000,000 barrels a year many brewers have been making larger profits than for many years past. The standard enabled them to make larger supplies than the brews they had been supplying. One of the big London brewery firms at the end of last year paid a deferred dividend for the first time in ten years.

The food controller has now fixed a maximum price for ale of eight cents a pint for light brews of an original gravity of 1036 degrees and ten cents for brews between 1036 and 1052 degrees. Beers of the ten-cent quality are permitted to be sold as "government ale," but the lower grades are no longer to be sold under that title. Brewers must mark the heads of the casks distinctly with the price at which the contents are to be sold. Provided that brewer agrees to brew 50 per cent of his ale below the original gravity of 1042 degrees he will be permitted to brew 20 per cent more beer during the current quarter, and if brewing for unwarmed areas a slightly larger amount.

TREE CLIMBING TANKS DON'T ASTONISH DANIEL

Washington.—Secretary Joseph Daniels of the navy department is nothing if not blasé.

Recently, when he was inspecting the marine corps camp at Quantico, Va., enthusiastic officers demonstrated some new tank style gun tractors for him. They ran the machines on the level, then up grades and over obstacles. Secretary Daniels enjoyed the demonstration, but did not burst forth into expressions of great wonder.

Then the officers volunteered to run a machine down into a trench, up the side and out again. Another said he could make his machine climb a wall, but Secretary Daniels led his party on to inspect something else.

"I've heard they've got machines in France that will climb trees," he said.

BOSTON HAS GIRL MARSHALS

Two Young Women Deputies "Fall in Love" With Work for Federal Government.

Boston.—Another instance in which women have invaded the sacred domain of men has come to light here with the announcement that two young women are now acting deputy marshals in the office of United States Marshal Mitchell.

These young women, Miss Mary K. Buckley and Miss Grace E. O'Donnell, are said to be the first woman marshals ever appointed in the country. Both declare they "just love" their new work, which consists of granting alien enemy permits and the responsibility of the correspondence connected with that branch of the government's protective war measures.

FATTENS MEN IN NEUTRAL LANDS

Kaiser Sends Conscripts Abroad Before Entering Into Active Service.

CUT DOWN RATIONS AT HOME

Germans Take Food From Invaded Territory and Export It to Scandinavia to Keep Up Pretense of Shipping Food.

London.—New information of a highly interesting character concerning German food supplies has been obtained. Submarine crews are now the best fed of any of the fighting men in the whole German service. This has been ordered to attract men to it.

At the same time it is Germany's intention to do most of its submarine recruiting among the men of its merchant marine service because of the high mortality in the undersea work and the necessity of saving the regular naval officers and men for the high seas fleet.

Food Camouflage.

In order to send 5 per cent of Germany's foodstuffs to Denmark and Sweden, this amount, it is stated, is being withdrawn from persons in occupied territories. It is considered vitally necessary as propaganda that Germany should be able to make a pretense of sending food outside.

To help counterbalance this exportation, it is known that in recent months Germany has been sending a considerable number of conscripts into neutral countries of fatten up, preliminary to active service.

The shortage in food in many big manufacturing centers has led to the return home of many highly skilled Dutch and Scandinavian workmen, despite high wages offered. Others periodically go home to put in a few weeks on better rations, returning again to obtain the higher wages.

The latest food statistics from Germany, which cover a period from August to the present time, indicate that new flour was placed in market in Berlin during August, whereas a year ago it wasn't done until November. This was imperative because of the shortness of the potato crop in some sections. Seven pounds weekly is the flour ration now, as compared with ten and a half pounds last year.

There has been a heavy increase in the price of condensed milk throughout Germany since August.

Causing Night Blindness.

The dearth of fodder is the most dangerous aspect of the food situation because Germany is trying to maintain a large amount of live stock. The ration has now been reduced from 250 grams to 200 and 150.

Germany's leading medical men are now more frank than ever before in statements that malnutrition, if continued long, will mean the elimination of the weakest and explain that night blindness is the disease now spreading in the fatherland just as it did in the wake of the famine in early periods of history.

Neutral doctors testify to the increase in cases of perforation of the intestines as a result of the lack of food. A report just issued by insurance companies declares malnutrition is exceeded only by military service as the cause of the greatest number of deaths.

CAMOUFLAGE IS ANCIENT ART

Expert Tells Artists Trojan Horse Was an Early Example—Used in Civil War.

New York.—Camouflage is ages old. Maximilian Toch, adviser to the United States government in the art, told a meeting of artists and architects here. "It saw its birth in the day of the ancients," he said.

"You all know how the Greeks captured Troy by the strategy of concealing warriors in the wooden horse."

"Shakespeare wrote of camouflage, too, in 'Macbeth.' Confederate soldiers in the Civil war were camouflaged by their uniforms of gray that blended with the dust of highways," Mr. Toch explained.

The artist explained that he and a staff of fellow-workers have been making visible objects as nearly invisible as possible. He said one important center was camouflaged only after 60 experienced men had worked four weeks.

TWO "FORTY-NINERS" LIVE

All There Is Left of a Party of Gold Seekers That Included 150 Men.

Danville, Ill.—With the death of William Givens at Center Point, Ind., recently, S. P. White of Paris announces that only he and Rollie E. Wilhoit of Stockton, Cal., remain of the original 150 men who left this county in 1849 for the gold fields of California. The party known as the "Forty-niners," left late in 1849, soon after the discovery of gold. The trip was made in prairie schooners, and a number of the party died before the plains were crossed. Several remained in the far West, some of them winning fortunes, but the greater number returned to their former homes, having failed in the enterprise.

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For 25 Cents Peel Off 25 Corns.

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GLENWOOD.

Bro. Thomas filed his regular appointment at Sard Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edric Miller spent Sunday night and Sunday with their sister, Mrs. George Queen of Glenwood.

Mrs. Bowling of Lost creek was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Irene Jordan one day last week.

Bertha and Beadie Cooksey spent Sunday night and Sunday with the Misses Roberts.

In the Watson of Fritz Switch is here spending a few days with her grandparents.

Cyde Bush and J. M. Cooksey attended church at the Gap Sunday.

Walden Rife still makes his regular trip at Park Lawsons.

John Childers of Rash is here spending a few days with his cousin Ruth Childers.

Hazel Arden was visiting Bertha Cooksey one day last week.

W. A. Cooksey made a business trip to Ashland Friday.

W. S. Queen has returned home from a visit to Camp Taylor where he has been visiting his son Arthur.

Charley Perry and wife of Portsmouth has been here spending a few days with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Kelley.

SPUNK.

Have been built and actually delivered to retail buyers since August 1, 1916. These figures—320,817—represent the actual number of cars manufactured by us since August 1st, 1916, and delivered by our agents to retail buyers. This unusual fall and winter demand for FORD cars makes it necessary for us to confine the distribution of cars only to those agents who have orders for immediate delivery to retail customers, rather than to permit any agent to stock cars in anticipation of later spring sales.

We are issuing this notice to intending buyers that they may protect themselves against delay or disappointment in securing FORD cars. If, therefore, you are planning to purchase a FORD car, we advise you to place your order and take delivery now.

IMMEDIATE ORDERS WILL HAVE PROMPT ATTENTION.

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Complete lines of Silk and Lisle Hose, Corsets and Brassiers, Underwear, Kimonos, Bath Robes, Etc. Complete lines of Wearables for big and Little Girls.

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You will want a new suit or Overcoat during the holidays. We have the famous hand-tailored Kuppenheimer, "G. G. & G." and "York" brand makes, in all the newer styles from Belted Back Military effects to conservative models. Beautiful new patterns in all-wool materials. We guarantee you a substantial saving on any suit or overcoat you buy of us. Real Values \$10.00 to \$30.00

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Prestonsburg Items Paintsville Items

Alley-Moore.

On Friday evening, October 23, the beautiful wedding of Miss Hattie Alley and Mr. Chas. Moore took place at the home of her sister, Mrs. Z. S. Dickinson. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. K. Moore, father of the groom, after which delicious refreshments were served to the invited guests.

Aid Meets.

Mrs. J. M. Davidson was hostess to the Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church on Thursday evening.

Presbyterian Aid.

The Ladies of the Presbyterian church held their eekly meeting in the office of W. P. McVay Thursday evening.

Dr. Hatcher Weds.

Dr. L. N. Hatcher, a prominent and successful dentist of this place, was married to Miss Frances Hager at Lexington Wednesday, November 21.

They left immediately after the ceremony for Prestonsburg and are now pleasantly domiciled at the hotel Elizabeth.

Death Of Mr. Sam May.

Mr. Sam May, prominent citizen of near Dwyer, this county, died Monday night of infarction of the brain. Mr. May was about 60 years of age and a consistent member of the M. E. Church all his life.

Shooting Affray At Beaver Creek.

On Monday night at Beaver creek, civ. marshal Gortlett Wright was shot and seriously wounded by Dick Salmons when he found under arrest on a warrant charge. Before Wright fell he pulled his gun and shot Salmons three times. Salmons is not expected to live.

Local And Personal.

Mrs. and Mrs. A. J. Davidson left for Bowling Green, Minn., Tuesday going by way of Johnson City, Tenn., where they will attend the wedding of Miss Martin, a cousin of Mrs. Davidson. Senator Goodykowitz of Williamson, West Va., was here Tuesday making preparations to open up a coal mine at Camo Branch.

W. S. Harkins left for Ashland and down the river points Tuesday.

Mr. W. G. Wells, Mrs. G. P. Archer and Miss Mary Archer are home from shopping in Cincinnati and buying furniture for Mrs. Wells' new home.

Mrs. John Hensley left Saturday for Middletown where she will visit Mrs. Thomas for a while.

Born, Thursday, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Fitzpatrick, a fine boy.

C. L. Frederick, representing the Remington Typewriter company, was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Greenwald of Cliffe, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Gene Davis of Auxier and Miss Mabel Cooper were visitors here recently.

Sheriff elect Kendall Moore was a business caller in town this week.

W. D. Blair is visiting home folks this week.

Fred Atkinson of Paintsville is here having dental work done.

Mrs. Lottie Pugh of Somerset, Ky., is the pleasant guest of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Burke.

T. Hatcher, C. & O. agent of Lackey, was in town Monday.

F. H. Cotrell and niece Mary Margaret Richmond have returned from Cincinnati.

Forrest B. Preston, manager Alton Coal company of Emma, was a business visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Powers were called to Huntington last week on account of the illness of Mr. Powers' father.

Gertrude Cheek spent the latter part of week with home folks at Allen.

Miss Edith Fitzpatrick visited in Ashland and Huntington the latter part of last week.

Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Mrs. W. S. Harkins and daughter, Miss Josephine, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Howard in Maysville.

Mrs. W. R. Cantilan left for New York Tuesday afternoon.

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Mrs. Emma Casady's foot is recovering from its injury.

Mrs. Billie Maynard is sick.

Circuit Court begins Monday.

Messrs. Chaplin and Remley of Louisville were in town Tuesday.

Morgan Booth of Kermitt has moved to Inez. Mr. Booth will be employed in the pump station.

Albert Dempsey of Winfield is moving to Inez. Mr. Dempsey had the misfortune of having his house and the contents burned.

Millon Stepp son of Mrs. Mandy, stopped over here for a few days. He has been in the U. S. army since 1898.

The meeting with mother was a joyful one and a surprise to the mother.

Mr. Stepp brought some soldiers from San Francisco to Virginia.

A very enjoyable social was held in the upper rooms of the Presbyterian church on Saturday night by the Y. P. S. C. E. Coffee, cake and cocoa were served and all seemed to enjoy themselves. The C. E. hopes to make these social affairs a regular thing.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Corbett died today from injuries received through burns.

Thanksgiving day brings an opportunity for all to think about how much we have to be thankful for. Every day should be a day of thanksgiving, but we are so prone to forget the blessings and mercies of the Lord "Bless the Lord O my soul and forget not all His benefits."

Mrs. Dan Mikles of Kenova has been visiting home folks at this place recently.

Miss Jennie Cartman was calling on Ruby Ross Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Turman was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Allen Ross Sunday.

Leroy Bolt of Lincoln-co., West Va., was visiting relatives on this creek a few days ago.

Denver Clay made a business trip to Buchanan Saturday.

Everybody is very busy at the present gathering here. SNOW LALL.

Return From Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hager arrived from Detroit, Mich. They have moved back to Paintsville where they will make their future home. Mr. Hager will be associated with the Paintsville Grocery company.

Will Attend Ward-Belmont.

Miss Margaret Maye daughter of Mrs. S. P. Fetter, and Miss Mary Marshall Aehn of New York, will enter Ward-Belmont college at Nashville after the holidays. Miss Aehn is a niece of Dr. Fetter. This is one of the most beautiful and thorough schools in the south and these young ladies are looking forward with pleasure to the work they are going to do there.

Return To Ashland.

Miss Anna Mary Keiley left for her home in Ashland after several years stay here as private secretary of Mrs. S. P. Fetter. Mrs. Fetter has moved her office there and Miss Keiley will still remain private secretary. Miss Keiley is a charming young lady and made friends of all while in our city, who regret to see her leave.

Boxer.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Mayo Memorial church will hold a bazaar December 8.

In Ashland.

Miss Virgie Rice, formerly connected with The Herald, has gone to Ashland where she has accepted a position in the store of The W. E. Faulkner company.

Red Cross At Van Lear.

The local chapter of the Red Cross went to Van Lear Saturday and organized a chapter of the Red Cross there.

Our New County Agent.

C. B. Varney of Lyon-co., has arrived in Paintsville to take up his new duties as the County Agent for Johnson-co. The Federal court and the United States Government have made it possible for Johnson-co. to have for the next year a man who will be able to aid the farmers of the county in raising more farm products, live stock and fruits.

Mr. Varney is a brother of K. L. Varney, who is located at Pikeville and comes from Lyon-co. to Johnson-co.

His is well recommended and an effort was made by Lyon-co. to have him stay in that county.—Herald.

Called By Illness.

Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Taylor of Portsmouth, O., Mr. Walter Wells of Prestonsburg and Mr. Byron Wells of Beaver creek were called here by the serious illness of their father, Attorney John P. Wells.

Convicted.

Zac Combs, charged with unlawfully detaining a woman, was found guilty in the circuit court here and given two years in the penitentiary. This is Mr. Combs' third sentence to the penitentiary.

Chosen Pastor.

Rev. J. H. Stambaugh has been chosen as pastor of the Christian church for the ensuing year.

Returned To Cincinnati.

Mrs. J. F. Irindible returned last week to her home at Cincinnati after a very pleasant visit with relatives and friends here.

Sergeant Wells Here.

Sergeant Hubert Wells was called home from Camp Zachary Taylor on account of the serious illness of his father, Atty. John P. Wells. Mr. Wells left here with the first contingent from this county and reports army life fine.

Returned From Fleming.

Mrs. Sarah Kiles has returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Atkinson at Fleming.—Post.

RENEWED TESTIMONY.

No one in Louisa who suffers backache, headache, or distressing urinary illness can afford to ignore this Louisa man's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Louisa resident can doubt.

G. E. Pike, tinner and carpenter Louisa, gave the following statement in June, 1909: "For several years I was frequently subject to severe attacks of kidney complaint. I suffered greatly with backache and had difficulty in passing the kidney secretions. Sometimes the kidney secretions were profuse and then again scanty and highly colored. I got Doan's Kidney Pills and they gave me relief."

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Pikeville Items

Returned From West.

Will Sowards of Washington, is here after an absence of twelve years spent in the far West. He says he never would have known the town, there have been so many changes since he left.

Appendicitis Operation.

Miss Lizzie Pet May was taken violently ill with appendicitis Saturday and was taken to Riverview hospital at Louisa, where she was operated on Monday. The operation was very successful and the patient is doing well.

Called To The Army.

Herman Redd, who has been for almost six years the very efficient sto-

Keeping Yourself Well

That Lingering Cold

is a steady drain on your physical stamina. It impoverishes the blood, distresses the digestion, and exhausts your vigor. It affords a fertile field for serious infection and is likely to become chronic.

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from it if you will take Peruna and use prudence in avoiding exposure. Peruna clears up catarrhal conditions. Thousands have proved this to any fair person. Get a box of the tablets today—prove it yourself. Many prefer the liquid form. Both are good. At your druggist.



nographer for Auxier, Harman & Francis, received his call for army service Saturday morning and left Monday for Washington, D. C., where he takes his final examination for field secretary and will probably be sent directly to France. Mr. Hedd has made many friends here who wish him great success in his new work.

Entertained Club.

Miss Katharine Keel very pleasantly entertained the members of the Arden Club on Saturday afternoon. Sewing and knitting filled the afternoon hours, at the close of which delicious refreshments were served.

Dr. J. E. Record returned Monday night from a several weeks absence in Pennsylvania and East on business for the college.

W. E. Forsyth of Ashland is here this week.

Miss Mary Auxier, Mrs. N. Starkey, Mrs. Walter Hatcher, Mr. F. W. Stowers and Marion Cecil attended the Flanery wedding at Catlettsburg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holley of Ashland are guests of Mrs. Holley's parents Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Bales.

Miss Miss Hooker is spending her Thanksgiving vacation at her home in Clintwood Va.

J. J. Moore has gone to Boston on business.

Mrs. M. F. Campbell is seriously ill with pneumonia this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Linton Trivette were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Call Friday night.

Misses Elva Beving, Violet Walker, Messrs. Francis Rice and H. G. Housh were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Porter Sunday night.

Misses Maybelle Thompson and Helen Record were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Call Wednesday night.

Herna Ratliff is taking treatment in a Louisville hospital.

Mrs. A. S. Johnson spent several days of last week in Cincinnati.

Miss Hester Sawberry left Wednesday for her home in Inez, where she will spend the Thanksgiving vacation.

Miss Louie E. Wimsatt of Washington, D. C., teacher of Lip Reading arrived Monday night to spend a few weeks with Mrs. James W. Francis.

Mr. Ewing Kendrick is here to spend Thanksgiving with his father, J. T. Kendrick and Mrs. Kendrick.

The condition of J. P. Powers is quite critical and little hope is felt for his recovery.

Miss Freda Seyler, who attended Jao. Elliott Francis, during his recent illness from pneumonia, returned Saturday morning to her home in Huntington.

KENTUCKY WOMEN PREPARE FOR WAR

Thousands of women in this state have overcome their sufferings, and have been cured of woman's ills by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This temperance medicine, though started nearly half a century ago, sells most widely to-day. It can now be had in tablet form as well as liquid, and every woman who suffers from backache, headache, nervousness, should take this "Prescription" of Dr. Pierce's. It is prepared from nature's roots and herbs and does not contain a particle of alcohol or any narcotic. It's not a secret prescription for its ingredients are printed on wrapper. Send 10c. for trial package to Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—"I wish to express my gratitude for what Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has done for me. I was all run-down and weak, nervous, and could not sleep nor eat. I began taking 'Favorite Prescription' and the 'Pleasant Pellets' and after taking three bottles of the 'Prescription' I was able to do all my housework—never felt better in my life. I will always recommend 'Favorite Prescription' to my friends."—Mrs. F. LATON, 11, 2, Box 28, Berry Blvd.

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HELLIER NEWS

ELECTRIC LIGHTS FOR HELLIER. NIX ON LIGHTNING BUGS.

The one million dollar electric power house is within immediate access of Hellier. Just a distance of about one city block. It's an enormous plant and perhaps the finest equipped one in this part of the State. Hopes are glowing most vividly onto this power house for electric lights to illuminate this town. This is a power house the citizens of Hellier should be proud of and especially when they extend their lines into Hellier, they'll be commended and praised by all the citizens of Hellier. The folk of Hellier are eagerly anticipating how soon lights will be available. Surely the hopes of the whole town shall not be shattered.

KILLED AT HAZARD.

A telegram received by Mrs. William Bartley stated that her brother was killed at Hazard. It is said he was killed by falling slate in a mine, where he had been employed.

ON THE SICK LIST.

Mrs. Picas Cleveland is quite ill with

typhoid fever. Mrs. Cecil Barnett, formerly of Edgewater, this place is seriously ill with typhoid fever at Elkhorn City. Mr. and Mrs. Barnett moved away from here recently to Elkhorn City where Mr. Barnett is employed.

RETURNED FROM HUNTINGTON.

Mr. C. A. Warden, superintendent of the Edgewater Coal company, has returned home after a business trip.

SOME CAMERA, THIS.

Russell R. Armstrong, general store manager for the Edgewater Coal company and its subsidiaries at Big Branch and Henry Clay has purchased of G. C. Ratliff, the kodak man a reflex camera costing \$135.

POSTOFFICE FIXTURES FOR SALE.

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WANTED AT ONCE.

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MT. ZION.

We are very glad that our Sunday school superintendent is able to be with us again. School opened last Sunday with a small congregation after being closed since September. We hope that the attendance will improve and we can have a school all winter. Everybody come next Sunday at ten o'clock prompt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Lakin of South Ashland were visiting the former's aunt and uncle at this place recently.

Mrs. Mary Sperry of Kenova is visiting her mother, Mrs. R. Moore this week.

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